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OF THE

# IOWA - CONFERENCE

OF THE

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

SIXTY-SECOND ANNUAL SESSION

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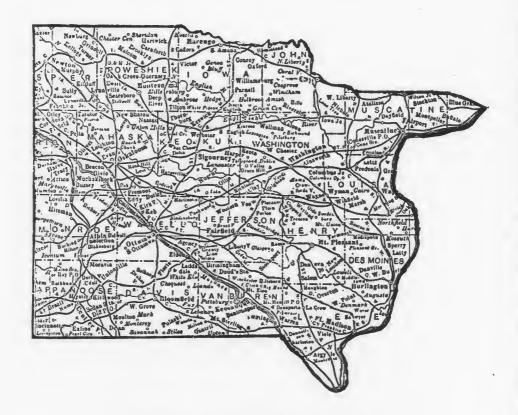
Albia, Iowa, Sept. 6-11, 1905

JOHN WESLEY POTTER, Secretary of the Conference.

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Fifteen counties with four half counties, or the equivalent of seventeen counties with a population of 418,438.

In the Iowa Conference there are 176 preachers and 54 local preachers. There are 136 pastoral charges, with 31,393 members; 320 Sunday Schools and 26,966 scholars. There are 339 church buildings, valued at \$1,043,894. There are 125 parsonages, valued at \$200,450.

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#### VISITORS TO EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS.

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Term Expires 1906—F. B. Dorsey, M. D., E. J. Smith, A. M., S. T. B., E. L. Stickney.

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#### Garrett Biblical Institute.

One Year-T. J. Myers, D. D.

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THOMAS OSBORN, Chairman. H. B. Scoles, Registrar.

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H. A. Ingham - Land of Israel. Sermons for Admission.

E. J. Shook—Manual of Christian Doctrine, John Wesley the Methodist.

H. F. GILBERT-Plain Account, First Year Sermon.

E. J. Smith-Introduction to the Holy Scriptures, Harman.

W. H. PERDEW-Systematic Theology, Vol. I.

C. R. ZIMMERMAN-Lectures on Homiletics, Hermeneutics.

R. L. PATTERSON-American History.

J. W. Potter-Manual Bible History.

W. A. LONGNECKER-Logic, Christian Ethics.

G. H. HANAWALT-English History, Second Year Essay.

J. M. McClelland-Psychology, Essay Fourth Year.

C. N. PACE-Universal History, I, II, III.

ELIAS HANDY—History Christian Church, Vols. I and II.

J. E. Newsom-Theology, Vol. II, Analogy.

I. B. Schreckengast—Grounds of Theistic and Christian Belief, Sermon Third Year.

### Local Course.

J. C. CAUGHLAN, First Year; J. M. McClelland, Second Year; G. L. Minear, Third Year; H. F. Gilbert, Fourth Year, Deacon's and Elder's Orders.

#### Mid-Year Examinations.

Harman, O. T. and N. T., Hermeneutics, Psychology, Miley's Theology, Vols. I and II, History of Christian Church, Analogy, Grounds of Belief, Universal History, parts I, II, Homiletics, Logic, Ethics, Manual Bible History, Manual Christian Doctrine.

#### Conference Examinations.

English Branches, Plain Account, Discipline, Wesley the Methodist, American History, English History, Land of Israel, all Sermons and Essays.

## RULES ADOPTED BY BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

#### Candidates.

- 1. Each candidate shall pay to the Registrar a matriculation fee of \$1.00 per year.
- 2. Candidates except those for admission on trial are expected to take the examination at the mid-year meeting.
- 3. No examinations will be given except at the mid-year meeting and at the seat of Conference.
- 4. Candidates who are examined at Conference are required to present themselves on the day before Conference. The Discipline does not authorize any other day.
- 5. The time for holding the mid-year examinations shall be the third Monday of May. The place is to be determined by the chairman and Registrar.
  - 6. Topic to be assigned by the examiner.

#### Examiners.

- 1. Examiners will meet at the call of the chairman at 8:00 o'clock a.m. on the day preceding the opening of Conference.
  - 2. The traveling expenses of examiners are to be prorated.

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# Anniversaries and Services, 1905.

- Tuesday, September 5, 8:00 P. M.—Temperance Anniversary. Addresses by Bishop Warren and the Rev. Dr. I. N. McCash.
- Wednesday, September 6, 8:30 A. M.---Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, Bishop H. W. Warren, officiating.
  - 2:00 P. M.---Educational Address, Rev. J. M. McClelland.
  - 8:00 P. M.---Missionary Anniversary. Addresses by Julius Smith of Burmah, and J. C. McLaughlin of Manilla.
- Thursday, September 7, 2:00 p. m.—Woman's Foreign Missionary Society Anniversary. Addresses by Miss Mary Eva Gregg and Miss Frances H. Hitchcock.
  - 7:30 P. M.—Anniversary of the Freedman's Aid and Southern Education Society. Address by the Rev. Dr. M. C. B. Mason.
- Friday, September 8, 2:00 P. M.—Anniversary of the Woman's Home Missionary Society. Address by Mrs. Mabel Hilbish.
  - 8:00 P. M.—Anniversary of the Conference Claimants. Addresses by Hon. D. H. Emory of Ottumwa, and the Rev. Dr. Brown of the Des Moines Conference.
- Saturday, September 9, 4:00 p. m.—Lecture, Dr. J. T. McFarland. 7:30 p. m.—Educational Anniversary, addresses by Dr. C. L. Stafford, Dr. J. T. McFarland and President J. W. Hancher.
- Sunday, September 10, 9:00 A. M.—Love feast led by I. O. Kemble.
  - 10:15 A. M.—Ordination of Deacons by the Bishop.
  - 10:30 A. M.—Sermon by Bishop H. W. Warren, D. D., LL. D.
  - 3:00 P. M.—Annual Missionary Sermon, E. J. Shook.
  - 4:00 P. M.—Ordination of Elders by the Bishop.
  - 7:30 P. M.—Anniversary of the Sunday School Union. Address by the Rev. Dr. J. T. McFarland.

# JOURNAL OF THE CONFERENCE.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE SIXTY-SECOND SESSION OF THE IOWA CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

## FIRST DAY.

Albia, Iowa, Wednesday, September 6, 1905.

Opening.—The Sixty-second Session of the Iowa Conference convened in the Methodist Episcopal Church, Albia, Iowa, on Wednesday, September 6th, 1905, at 8:30 A. M., opening with the administration of the Lord's Supper by Bishop H. W. Warren, assisted by the Presiding Elders.

Roll Call.—The Bishop requested J. W. Potter, Secretary of the last Conference, to call the roll. The following brethren answered to their names:

F. W. Adams, G. W. Barber, T. S. Barker, J. F. Barnett, W. E. Berg, D. C. Bevan, S. F. Bishop, George Blagg, J. A. Boatman, R. Breeden, E. C. Brooks, G. W. Byrkit, G. F. Cannom, J. W. Carson, J. C. Caughlan, W. L. Clapp, C. W. Cochran, R. Collier, C. S. Cooper, J. E. Corley, T. B. Couchman, J. C. W. Coxe, A. E. Craig, L. G. Cummins, John Davis, J. W. DeYoe, F. W. Evans, George Filmer, C. E. Fitzsimmons, W. L. Fry, H. F. Gilbert, J. W. Hackley, W. N. Hall, G. H. Hanawalt, J. W. Hancher, Elias Handy, B. G. Hankins, J. R. Hanley, J. B. Hardy, P. H. Hawk, A. B. Hightshoe, J. B. Hill, W. T. Howe, T. B. Hughes, H. A. Ingham, L. Ingham, W. B. Ireland, W. H. Jones, I. O Kemble, A. V. Kendrick, J. C. Kendrick, W. S. Kight, J. W. Lambert, W. A. Longnecker, A. S. Loveall, E. E. Lymer, A. M Mahaffie, D. R. Martin, A. W. McBlain, J. M. McClelland, H. C. Millice, G. L. Minear, C. H. Montgomery, T. J. Myers, J. E. Newsom, O. G. Orcutt, Thomas Osborn, C. N. Pace, R. L. Patterson, J. R. Payne, W. H. Perdew, David Phillips, G. W. Pool, J. W. Pool, T. S. Pool, J. W. Potter, W. N. Potter, C. W. Powelson, M. E. Reusch, J. F. Robertson, H. T. Robinson, W. R. Rolingson, J. A. Roovaart, M. L. Sanders, I. B. Schreckengast, E. L. Schreiner, H. B. Scoles, Frank Seeds, E. J. Shook, D. C. Smith, E. J. Smith, H. N. Smith, U. S.

Smith, C. L. Stafford, D. F. Stiles, W. P. Stoddard, J. H. Taylor, C. L. Tennant, E. L. Tennant, W. G. Thorne, F. B. Tucker, J. E. Ward, E. H. Waring, G. H. Wehn, J. C. Willits, C. W. Wilson, W. G. Wilson, C. R. Zimmerman.

Probationers.—The following probationers answered to their names: H. E. Butler, P. M. Conant, J. P. Cummins, F. C. Edwards, J. A. Glendinning, C. B. Hankins, L. B. Jones, A. L. Jordan, P. I. King, G. E. Monkman, Jesse Monkman, F. E. Morrison, Thomas Rowe, E. F. Thee.

Secretary.—J. W. Potter was elected Secretary, and with the consent of the Conference named as his assistants, W. P. Stoddard, J. M. McClelland and H. A. Ingham.

Treasurer.—T. S. Pool was elected Treasurer and named C. W. Wilson and J. W. Pool, as assistants.

Statistical Secretary.—C. R. Zimmerman was elected Statistical Secretary and named as his assistants, J. A. Glendinning, Geo. Blagg, J. F. Robertson, J. A. Roovaart and R. A. Bruce.

Postmaster.—E. L. Tennant was elected conference postmaster.

**Standing Committees.**—The list of standing committees was called and corrected:

Auditing.—E. L. Tennant, H. E. Butler, J. R. Hanley, Geo. E. Monkman, W. E. Berg.

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Time.—Daily sessions were fixed between the hours 8:30 a.m. and 12 noon.

Bar.—The bar was fixed at the sixth seat.

**Referred.**—On motion of T. Osborn the following was adopted:

It is ordered that all members of the Conference classes, including candidates for admission on trial and for local orders,

be referred for all purposes of examination, not only in the disciplinary studies but in questions of personal fitness for the ministry, to the Board of Conference Examiners; and that only such cases be referred to the committee on Conference Relations as may from time to time be specially sent to such committee by vote of the Conference.

It is also ordered that the Conference delegate authority to the Board of Examiners to accept substitution as allowed by the Discipline.

Thirteenth Question—The Thirteenth Question was called. The following Districts were reported by the Presiding Elders: Muscatine, W. G. Thorne; Ottumwa, J. W. Lambert; Keokuk, A. V. Kendrick; Burlington, T. J. Myers. At the close of Bro. Lambert's report, the Bishop on behalf of the Ottumwa District, presented him with a beautiful gold watch.

Introduced—J. C. McLaughlin for several years a Presiding Elder in the Philippines, was introduced.

Drafts—The Bishop reported a draft of \$1182 from the Book Concern for Conference Claimants, and \$22 from the Chartered Fund.

Order of the Day.—The memorial service in charge of J. C. Kendrick, chairman, was opened with the singing of the hymn "My heavenly home is bright and fair," after which T. Osborn offered prayer. A memorial of Mrs. Zerilda A. Coxe, was read and I. B. Schreckengast offered a tribute to her character and work. The ministerial record of Banner Mark was given by the chairman and I. O. Kemble, E. H. Waring and D. C. Bevan spoke of his life. The ministerial record of E. J. Pike was presented by the chairman and appropriate remarks were made by E. L. Schreiner and J. C. W. Coxe.

Reports.—On motion of W. G. Wilson the hour from 1:30 to 2:30 today was fixed to hand in statistics and reports.

Reports on the Emergency Fund of I. W. U. were ordered made to the Auditor of the College and the Secretary instructed to arrange column in the minutes.

Adjournment.—Notices were given, committees called and the Benediction pronounced by the Bishop.

## SECOND DAY.

Albia, Iowa, Thursday September 7th, 1905.

Conference opened at 8:30 A. M. with devotional services conducted by A. E. Craig. The minutes of the previous session were read and approved.

Roll Call.—The following brethren not reported yesterday answered to their names: A. C. Piersel, A. M. Smith, U. B. Smith, W. J. Pyle, L. A. Crull, H. F. Pugh, W. H. Dillon, Jay W. Somerville, Robert Pool, G. F. Cannom, C. E. Hawk, J. A. Sinclair, W. S. Gardner, H. I. Rutledge, L. Hughes, E. G. Lewis.

Widows.—On motion it was ordered that the names of the widows of former members of the Conference be printed in the minutes and entered immediately after the list of Claimants.

Thirteenth Question was Resumed.—Oskaloosa District was reported by J. C. Willits.

Effective Elders.—The character of each Elder was passed, and on motion his collections for Missions, Conference Claimants and Iowa Wesleyan University were reported.

Transfer.—The transfer of J. H. Koch from the West Virginia Conference was announced by the Bishop and being introduced reported his collections.

Referred.—R. Breeden having requested a Superannuate relation his case was on motion referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

Changed Relation.—W. M. Erskine desiring a transfer to the Oregon Conference his relation was changed from Supernumerary to Effective.

Referred.—On motion of J. W. Lambert the case of W. T. Howe was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

Introduced.—H. P. Magill representing the Methodist Mutual Fire Insurance Company, J. B. Trimble representing the Missionary Society and M. C. B. Mason representing the Freedman's Aid and Southern Education Society, were introduced and addressed the Conference.

Twenty-Second Question.—The following were continued in

the Supernumerary Relation: J. M. Coates, A. W. Haines, C. F. Williams, W. R. Stryker, R. P. Carson, F. E. Brush, F. A. Shawkey, J. E. Corley, John Potter, J. W. Fraker, J. A. Sinclair.

Twenty-Third Question.—The following were continued in the Superannuated relation: J. B. Hardy, H. Runyon, J. B. Hill, Jesse Craig, N. Wells, W. A. Phelps, I. N. Busby, W. C. Shippen, F. W. Evans.

Anniversary.—The Bishop requested the Conference to suggest to the Committee on Resolutions to remember the Eightieth Anniversary of Bishop Merrill and to forward a copy of their action to the Bishop.

Adjournment.—The committees were called, the Doxology sung and the Benediction pronounced.

## THIRD DAY.

Albia, Iowa, Friday, September 8th, 1905.

The session opened at 8:30 A. M. with devotional services conducted by J. W. Hancher. The minutes of the previous session were read and approved.

Twenty-Third Question.—The Twenty-third Question was resumed and the following were continued: W. J. Spaulding, J. S. Ferguson, J. H. Armacost, H. C. Ethel, G. W. Byrkit, E. H. Waring, J. G. Barton, B. F. Shane, Renix Weese.

Introduced – Horace Reed, Field Secretary of the Illinois Woman's College, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Seventh Question.—The Seventh question was taken up, "Who have been admitted into Full Membership?"

The following were elected to Deacon's Orders, passed to the studies of the Third year and received into full connection: J. A. Glendinning, R. A. Bruce, Preston M. Conant.

Elder's Orders.—J. P. Cummins was passed from the Course of Study and elected to Elder's Orders.

The Bishop addressed the Class and Conference.

Fifth Question.—"Who have been continued on Trial?" In studies of Second Year, E. F. Thee, H. E. Butler.

In Studies of Third Year.—The following members in Full Connection were passed to the studies of the Third Year, T. B. Couchman, J. E. Ward.

Located. At his own request, W. T. Howe was granted a Certificate of Location.

Relations Changed.—D. C. Smith at his own request was granted a Superannuate Relation and the request of R. Breeden, changing his relation from Effective to Supernumerary was granted.

Sunday School.—On motion the publishers were instructed to print in the Journal Statistical Table No. 2 and to omit the duplication of these figures in table No. 4.

Year Book.—On motion it was ordered that twenty-five hundred copies of the Journal be printed to be sold at fifteen cents each, with a discount of twenty per cent. if paid within thirty days after publication, the distribution of the Journal to be made on the basis of one copy for every fifteen members and probationers.

Introduced.—C. B. Spencer, Editor of the Central Christian Advocate, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Complimentary.—On motion the Secretary was instructed to send a copy of the Conference minutes to every Superannuated preacher.

Sunday School Superintendents.—On a substitute motion it was ordered that a committee of five (one from each District) be named to gather a list of names and addresses of Sunday School Superintendents and to forward same to the publishing houses. The following were appointed: Burlington District, T. F. Barker; Muscatine, P. M. Conant; Keokuk, J. H. Taylor; Oskaloosa, L. G. Cummins; Ottumwa, O. G. Orcutt.

Permanent Fund.—R. L. Patterson, Secretary of the Permanent Fund, reported. The report was referred to the Trustees and Stewards.

Iowa Wesleyan.—A resolution referring to some changes in the charter and elections of Trustees and Visitors of Iowa Wesleyan University, was referred to the Committee on Education.

Adjournment.—The committees were called and with the Doxology and Benediction the Conference stood adjourned.

## FOURTH DAY.

Albia, Iowa, September 9th, 1905.

Conference opened at 8:30 A. M., with devotional exercises conducted by C. L. Stafford. The minutes of the previous session were read and approved.

Located.—At his own request, C. E. Fitzsimmons was granted a Certificate of Location.

Introduced.—Miss Tobei, Deaconess and Principal of Chaddock Boys' School, Quincy, Ill., was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Referred.—A resolution as to General Conference representation was on motion referred to a committee of five as follows: W. G. Wilson, U. S. Smith, I. B. Schreckengast, D. C. Bevan and R. Collier.

Changed Relation.— T. J. Myers asked that the relation of J. W. Fraker be changed from Supernumerary to Superannuated and his case referred to the Board of Trustees and Stewards. It was so ordered.

Tenth Question.— The tenth question was taken up, "What members have completed the Conference course of study?" The following were passed in the studies of the Fourth year and elected to Elder's Orders: George Blagg, J. R. Hanley, O. G. Orcutt, C. W. Cochran, J. A. Roovaart. J. H. Dimmit, an Elder, was passed in the studies of the Fourth year.

Ninth Question.—"What members are in the studies of the Fourth Year?" J. F. Robertson.

Fifth Question.—"Who are continued on trial?"

In studies of the first year, P. I. King.

In studies of the second year, E. A. Bentzinger, A. L. Jordan, C. B. Hankins, F. C. Edwards, Jesse Monkman, F. E. Morrison, G. E. Monkman, T. Rowe. L. B. Jones, conditioned on Harman and A. T. James conditioned on Systematic Theology, Vol. I.

Eleventh Question.—"What others have been elected and ordained Deacons?" None.

Twelfth Question.—"What others have been elected and ordained Elders?" None.

Deaconess Board.—The report was made by R. L. Patterson and adopted.

Hospital Committee.—On motion the name of the standing committee on Iowa Methodist Hospital was changed to committee on Methodist Hospitals.

Thanks.—On motion the thanks of the Conference were tendered to Mrs. W. F. Cowles for her kind offer of a complete file of Conference Minutes.

lowa Wesleyan.—President Hancher read his annual report, which on motion was referred to the Committee on Education.

Year Book.—The Board of Publishers made the following report:

#### RECEIPTS.

Cash balance from last yearFrom advertising and cutsFrom sale of Minutes	29 9	95
Total Receipts	\$324 8	88
DISBURSEMENTS.		
Express and postage Printing Incidental expenses	216 (	05
incidental expenses	10	14
Total	\$284 5	<del>-</del> 56

Introduced.—J. T. McFarland, Corresponding Secretary of the Sunday School Union and Tract Society, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Sunday School Elections.—The following resolution was on motion adopted: Resolved, That the Iowa Conference request of the several Sunday School Boards that as far as practicable and as soon as possible, they will hold their annual elections during the month of August.

Thirtieth Question.—"Where shall the next Conference be held?" Grinnell, Fairfield and Moulton kindly offered invitations. On vote Grinnell was chosen, and the Secretary was instructed to send the thanks of the Conference to Fairfield and Moulton for the courtesy of their invitation.

Fourth Question.-"Who have been received on trial?"

In Studies of the First Year-- C. H. Myers, C. R. Shook, W. A. Smith.

Publishing Agent.—W. P. Stoddard was elected Publishing Agent for three years.

Local Preachers.—On motion the secretaries of the District Conferences were constituted a committee for procuring the addresses of Local preachers for the Year Book. The committee is as follows: J. S. Decker, W. A. Longnecker, J. F. Barnett, George Blagg, J. R. Hanley.

**Epworth League.**—The report was given by J. F. Robertson. (See report.)

Relation Changed.—At his own request the relation of C. R. Norton was changed from Effective to Supernumerary.

Report.—The report of the committee on the salary of J. C. W. Coxe was received; and, on motion the committee was discharged and the matter turned over to the Trustees and Stewards for adjustment.

Report.—The report of the Bible Society was presented. (See report.)

Adjournment.—The committees were called and with the Benediction the Conference stood adjourned.

# FIFTH DAY.

Albia, Ia., Monday, September 11th, 1905.

Conference opened at 8:30 A. M., with devotional services conducted by I. B. Schreckengast. The minutes were read and approved.

Constitutional Amendment.—The report of the special committee to whom was referred a resolution to the General Conference on constitutional amendment, reported, and on motion the report was adopted. (See miscellaneous reports.)

Conference Trustees and Stewards.—On motion I. O. Kemble and E. T. Willits were elected as members of the Board; the report was then read and adopted.

Resignation.—The resignation of W. R. Cole as trustee of Iowa Wesleyan University was presented and accepted.

Announcements.—The Bishop announced the following: To preach the missionary sermon, H. A. Ingham. Alternate, C. N. Pace. Triers of Appeals, U. S. Smith, W. L. Clapp, C. H.

Montgomery, J. F. Barnett, J. C. Kendrick, G. M. Tuttle, W. P. Stoddard.

Reports.—The following reports were made and adopted: State of the Country, Bishop's Claim, Evangelization, Garrett Biblical Institute, Tracts, Sunday School Union, Books and Periodicals, Hospitals, Education, Temperance, W. F. M. S., Periodical Accounts, Church Extension. (See Reports.)

Introduced.—J. B. Eyestone and wife, missionaries under appointment to Foochow, were introduced and addressed the Conference.

W. W. Williams, returned missionary from China, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Mid-year.—On motion the time for the mid-year examination was fixed for the third Monday in May

Introduced.—Dr. Iliff, representing the Church Extension Society, was introduced, addressed the Conference and lifted a collection amounting to one hundred dollars for Iowa Conference mountain church in W. J. Martindale's District, Southwest Kansas Conference.

Janitor.—A collection for the janitor was ordered and taken amounting to nine dollars.

Statistical Secretary.—The report of the Statistical Secretary was made and adopted.

Treasurer.—The report of the Treasurer was made and adopted.

Relation.—At his own request I. O. Kemble was granted a Supernumerary relation. J. R. Payne was granted the same relation.

Conference Evangelists.—The Bishop was requested to appoint W. N. Groome and E. L. Schreiner, Conference Evangelists.

Requested.—On motion the Bishop was requested to appoint U. B. Smith, Superintendent of the Home Finding Association, and that L. B. Jones be left without appointment to attend school.

Relation.—On motion the relation of J. E. Corley was changed from Supernumerary to Effective.

Report.—The report on Sabbath Observance was made and adopted.

Thanks.—The resolutions were adopted by a rising vote. (See report of committee under head of "Miscellaneous Reports.")

Transfers.—The following transfers were announced by the Bishop: William S. Mitchell to the East Ohio Conference; W. M. Erskine to the Oregon Conference; A. S. Loveall to the Dakota Conference; A. E. Craig to the Ohio Conference; E. G. Lewis to the Northwest Indiana Conference.

Adjournment.—The minutes of the morning session were approved. The Bishop announced hymn 227 and offered prayer. The appointments were then read and with the Benediction by Bishop Warren the Conference stood adjourned.

H. W. WARREN, President. J. W. POTTER, Secretary.

# PRESIDING ELDERS' REPORTS.

## Keokuk District.

Dear Fathers and Brethren:—With profound gratitude to our Heavenly Father we bring to you the record of another year of work on the Keokuk District.

God has been gracious, giving strength enabling me to hold all the Quarterly Conferences except two, and rejoicing our heart in seeing about sixty souls converted at the quarterly meetings.

The year opened with each charge supplied with a pastor, who, by the kindness and mercy of God, continued in labors abundant till now.

The year has been characterized by a spiritual fervor culminating in gracious revivals in many of the charges. This spirit was so marked at our recent District Conference that a committee was created to plan an evangelistic campaign by the pastors during the month of October.

The total number of conversions and accessions to the church reported to me by twenty of the thirty pastors are, conversions 646, accessions, 607. The net increase in membership over last year in these twenty charges is 280.

The work for the children and youth has been faithfully performed. The conviction is growing upon both pastors and people that Jesus saved the race in childhood, that great care should be taken to keep the children within the palé of the church. Hence, classes for the instruction of the children as required by the Discipline are being organized more generally than before, and parents urged to present the little ones to the Lord in holy baptism.

The work in Sunday schools was never more hopeful. In this important branch of church work faithful men and women are devoting their best effort to the training of the youth in heart and life, for the mighty work to be done in the next generation. I fear, however, that the church at large is not awake to this mighty work, and alive to the opportunity now presented to hasten the coming of the Lord by saving the next generation in the children of the present.

The work for our young people in the Epworth League is in

the main, prosperous. The period of enthusiasm born of the newness of the movement, has given place to a more systematic work and study along lines marked out by our leaders, and as a result, our young people are being well grounded in the history, doctrines, and polity of Methodism. This is especially true of the work in the Junior League. But I fear that the spirit and life of the devotional meetings are suffering from a too close adherence to the published outline.

Our young people were very greatly disappointed by having the District League Convention postponed for the second time in two years on account of the over-flow of the Des Moines river, upon whose banks they had planned to meet.

Two profitable District Conferences were held during the

year.

The work of woman as carried on through the various avenues of activity, is in a healthful condition, and is keeping pace with the advancing column. Very helpful conventions of the W. F. M. S. and the W. H. M. S. were held during the year at Milton and Bloomfield, respectively.

The recognition of the Ladies' Aid Society by the recent General Conference, has stimulated the work in this line, and it still holds a prominent place of usefulness in our charges, bringing gladness to those to whom the fiscal affairs are committed.

During the year the Graham Protestant Hospital, located at Keokuk, has been deeded in fee-simple, to the Woman's Home Missionary Society; and the adjoining property has been presented to the same society for a Deaconess home. The latter is the gift of Mrs. H. M. Comstock, the worthy daughter of Father Graham, for whom the hospital was named. These properties give us a most desirable plant, of one half of a city block in an ideal location. The internal management of the hospital has been under the control of our Deaconess Board, and has prospered from the beginning. It is now far too small to accomodate those wishing service there, and plans are being matured to enlarge its capacity. I take pleasure in commending it to your favor and patronage.

The material interests of the district are in a hopeful condition. Although the salaries of the pastors were advanced about \$2,000 last year, a further advance of near \$700 has been made this year. But this advance is not in keeping with that of the cost of living, as tabulated by the United States Labor Bureau, which rhows that the cost of living in this country has advanced 40 per

cent. in the last fifteen years; 15 per cent. of which has been made in the last five years, while the salaries of our pastors have advanced but 15 per cent.

Church and parsonage improvement goes steadily on; four new parsonages have been occupied since our last Conference. This leaves but one charge without a parsonage. The church at Mt. Sterling, which was in process of erection at our last Conference, has been completed, and dedicated at a cost of over \$5,000, the entire cost having been provided for. The splendid church and parsonage, combined, in process of erection at Centerville, is progressing. The contract calls for its completion Dec. 1st. When this property is completed it will be one of the best in the state, and will cost over \$45,500. The church at Fairfield, having become too small for the growing Sunday school and congregation, is undergoing extensive enlargement, by fitting up the basement, 48x50 feet, and remodeling and re-arranging the interior at a cost of about \$3.500. When these improvements are completed, Fairfield will have one of the most convenient and commodious church buildings in the Conference, The cost of the improvements is provided for.

Extensive improvements have been made on the churches at Mystic, Milton, Numa, and other churches and parsonages, amounting, in the aggregate to \$3,790, adding greatly to their beauty and convenience. The church at Montrose has fallen heir to property valued at \$3,000, by the will of Sister Naevi, which will aid this struggling church. The church at Salina, which was struck by lightning, has been repaired.

The Iowa Wesleyan University lies close to the heart of Keokuk District Methodism. Many of her most choice sons and daughters have received their life training within her classic walls. Pastors and people are more than ever alive to her interests. The campaigning carried on by the President for the emergency fund, and later for students, met with a hearty response.

Our Conference agent for the Permanent Fund, for Conference Claimants, was a very welcome visitor to our charges, and the response to this most worthy cause liberal.

The connectional Benevolent causes have been carefully looked after by most of the pastors. A few delayed presenting their claims to so late a date, that I fear they will not be able to report all in full. A handsome advance is fully expected.

The consolidation of the English speaking churches in Keo-

kuk last fall by Bishop McDowell has proven to be wise. Although a spirit of opposition to the union sprang up after the adjournment of Conference, and has continued till the present, yet God has prospered the work. Scores of souls have been converted and added to the church, giving a net gain of 49, and all claims have been met in full, both ministerial and benevolent.

But owing to this persistent opposition, it was not deemed wise to push the enterprise of a new church building. But a committee elected by the Quarterly Conference to select a location, has been looking for an eligible site and getting prices preparatory to the erection of a central building, commensurate with the honor, growth, and usefulness of Methodism in the City of Keokuk. Adjourned Quarterly Conference Monday evening, September 4, voted 20 to 1 for one pastor.

A. V. KENDRICK, Presiding Elder.

# Muscatine District.

With heartfelt gratitude to our heavenly Father for His many mercies and providential dealings with me during another conference year I herewith present my fourth annual report from the Muscatine District.

I am glad to be able to report that my general health has been excellent. I have been able to do full work, preaching from three to six times a week, holding all the quarterly conferences, attending to a large correspondence and other duties belonging to the regular work of a Presiding Elder, excepting during the month of May and a part of June. It became necessary for me to undergo a surgical operation; though it prevented me from attending to my work for a time it did not impair my general health. During the time of my absence in the hospital, Rev. R. L. Patterson rendered valuable assistance by holding a part of the quarterly meetings and the pastors in the district loyally and royally came to my assistance.

Bishop McDowell appointed pastors to all the charges in the district, except two, Blue Grass and Nichols. Blue Grass has been very acceptably supplied by our brother, C. F. Williams, and I was very fortunate in securing the services of brother E. A. Brinton for Nichols circuit. He has done excellent work. A

very urgent request is made for his return to the charge for the coming year.

Brother E. J. Pike was the only member of the conference who was returned to his charge for the seventh year. He was physically unable from the beginning of the year to do any work on his charge. His health rapidly declined until November 3rd, when he triumphantly entered into his heavenly home. It is useless for me to comment at this time upon the excellent qualities of this surpassingly excellent brother who was so wellknown and so universally loved by all of us. His beautiful poetic nature will have unbounded room for the highest development where the constraining influences of this world's boundary lines will have no power to circumscribe his perpetual growth and unfolding powers. Brother J G. Barton very kindly rendered excellent assistance on the charge at Williamsburg during the declining days of brother Pike and continued to serve the charge until January 1, 1905, when the very efficient services of Rev. E. L. Schreiner were secured for the balance of the vear.

The pastors throughout the district have been very faithful and diligent in their labors, though the harvest of ingathering has not been as abundant as we all have wished for. The reports from the several charges show that 561 have been received on probation and about 400 hundred into full connection. More than 7000 pastoral visits have been made. The various departments of church activity have been carefully looked after. Sunday schools are doing vigorous work, all provided with our own publications, we have a goodly number of very active and aggressive schools. The Washington Sunday school still leads the district in numbers under the very efficient management of the superintendent, S. W. Neal, having 1235 enrolled including the home department and cradle roll, 875 active members. most all of the charges have Epworth League Chapters in active operation. Prayer meetings and class meeting fairly well sustained, but giving large room for improvement. Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Societies are manifesting a good deal of zeal and enthusiasm in a number of the charges. Each society held a district convention during the year. One at Letts, the other at Marengo. A splendid convention of the Epworth League was held at Lone Tree early in June. Two sessions of the District Conference were held marked by a very full attendance and intense interest upon the part of the members of

the district. The usual annual camp meeting was was held on the Wilton camp ground.

The Ladies' Aid Society is organized on a number of charges and engaged in diligent and effective work.

A number of charges have been especially favored in their results in revival work. At Keota 27 united with the church, Ladora 18, Lone Tree 25, Marengo 75, Muscatine 1st, 81, Washington 99, Webster 25, Wellman 21, West Chester 26, and others in smaller numbers.

Especial attention has been given to systematizing the financial work of the charges with a number of gratifying results, and a healthy increase in the amount in salaries paid the pastors. A number of the charges are paying their pastors in full every month. The importance of the various benevolent enterprises of the church has been emphasized, and we are confidently expecting an increase all along the line. Increase in missions \$320.00.

We have constantly endeavored to promote the interest of the university, both in securing financial support and the attendance of students, and are only sorry that our efforts have not met with very much greater success. We rejoice over every triumph made by our university, and earnestly pray and work for its continued prosperity.

We are thoroughly interested in the success of the efforts being made in the interest of the permanent fund and are hoping that the report of its agent may show a goodly amount contributed by the people.

Our churches and parsonages are pretty generally in good repair. There will not be shown a large amount of money expended for this purpose, yet we have not been inactive and are glad to report progress. A new church at North Prairie on Sweetland circuit begun last year under the supervision of Brother J. R. Hanley was completed this year under the supervision of Brother F. E. Morrison and dedicated by Dr. Hancher with all debts provided for, at a cost of \$2465.00. Two of the charges have taken advance grounds by paying off debts leaving but very little indebtedness on the entire district. Brother G. W. Pool at Wilton has succeeded in freeing the church from debt to the amount of \$2100.00. Brother J. R. Hanley at Keota has raised \$602.00 and applied on the debt of the parsonage. A number of charges have built cement walks and made various other improvements as follows, North English \$455.00; Musca-

tine 1st Church, \$400.00; Keota \$257.00; Williamsburg \$200.00; West Chester \$176.00; Webster \$160.00; Riverside \$128.00; West Liberty \$80.00; Wellman \$150.00; Marengo \$75.00; Letts \$62.00; Oxford \$50.00; Blue Grass \$30.00; Koszta \$25.00; Sweetland \$17.00; Lone Tree \$15.00. Washington placed a new furnace in the church costing \$700.00, making a grand total for building, debts and improvements of \$7663.00.

There are yet a few places on the district very much in need of new church buildings, affording an opportunity for some enterprising pastors to give an exhibition of their skill in that kind of ministerial activity.

While there has not been the growth in membership, and number of conversions that we would have been glad to see, almost all the charges have made steady advancement in ways not easily expressed by figures. No great calamity has befallen any of our charges. The closing down of a large lumber enterprise in Musserville, or South Muscatine, as it is generally known, has caused the removal of a large number of families and seriously interrupted the business interests of others. Notwithstanding this the church has met all its financial obligations and made some advance in benevolences over last year. This church belongs to the Muscatine circuit, E. C. Brooks pastor.

Our church papers have received a good deal of attention from the pastors for their circulation. I am sorry to say that not all our people are reading people and not all our reading people seem to be interested in Methodist literature. I believe that greater diligence upon the part of some of our pastors will result in multiplying the number of church papers now taken, and will intensify loyalty and energy in the membership of the church. There are something more than 300 of the Advocates taken and about 700 Epworth Heralds. Respectfully submitted,

W. G. THORN, Presiding Elder.

# Burlington District.

I take pleasure in submitting to you my third annual report of the Burlington District; and I make it with a deep sense of gratitude to God for his abiding presence and preserving care, and gratitude to the church and the ministry for so large a share of co-operation, and a further recognition of the good Provi-

dence of God, manifest in the lives and healths of all the pastors and their families, and also in the general good health of our people throughout the District.

The year has been one of peace and brotherly fellowship. In the various lines of work common to our Methodism the pastors of Burlington District have enjoyed a fair degree of prosperity. In some of the charges the churches have been blessed with extensive revivals, and perhaps without a single exception there have been conversions and accessions in every pastoral charge. While the evangelistic spirit characteristic of true Methodism has by no means departed from us, nevertheless, account for it as we may, it is a too prevalent and serious fact that it is exceedingly difficult to get the unsaved to our churches and under the influence of the ministrations of the word of God. Still another serious fact remains that our churches are not exerting the moral influence and power of righteousness over existing political, commercial, and social evil conditions as they should; and they are not being recognized as a moral force to be reckoned with by the aggressive elements of wickedness as they should. While the trend of the religious life seems more to the philanthropic and practical, and the general spiritual condition of our people is far from ideal and in some instances is exceedingly low, we still believe, nevertheless, that in the body of our Church there is a degree of intensity among our people, an undercurrent of spiritual life, that will soon be manifest and felt in an aggressive evangelistic effort in the charges of the District. Indeed, partial plans are now in the minds of the brethren, to be perfected and executed on a return from this Conference, in a revival campaign throughout the District.

From carefully prepared reports sent us by the pastors we are able to make quite reliable reports as to the most important general features of the work of the District for the year. The aggregate number of conversions is about eight hundred. The number of accessions to our churches on probation is about six hundred and fifty. The following charges have shared conspicuously in revival results: New London, Danville, Mount Union, Crawfordsville, Columbus Junction, Fort Madison 1st, Morning Sun, Winfield, Mediapolis, Mount Pleasant 1st Church, Salem, Sperry and Wapello. The remaining charges have had some increase to their membership. Notwithstanding the number of conversions, baptisms, and accessions, we may not be

able to report much of an increase in the total membership of the church. Indeed, the loss by death and removals added to the careful pruning and revision of the church records may show an actual decrease.

The Church property is in good condition, secured in nearly every case with a reasonable amount of insurance, church at Crawfordsville, to which we referred in our report a year ago, was soon after Conference dedicated free of debt by Dr. Hancher, assisted by a few of the former pastors and breth-This is a beautiful village chapel, worth about six thousand dollars, and speaks well for our people and the town. very conveniently located and desirable property for a parsonage home was purchased through the efforts of Brother Smith and the people of Fort Madison, Santa Fe Church, at the cost of \$1000, \$600 of which has been paid and the remaining amount is provided for in good subscriptions. New London people have very materially improved their parsonage property by added room, cementing the cellar, repainting and papering. Danville has spent some \$700 in the general repair and decoration of their church building. Our people at Ainsworth contemplate, in the near future, rearranging and enlarging their present church edifice so as to make it more commodious and modern in appearance and in the plan of apartments. No new church enterprise is under way or contemplated, unless our brethren at Winfield should say now is the time to arise and build. First Church, Burlington, has just finished extensive, repairs in the way of redecoration, carpets, and thorough burnishing of pews and the furniture of the entire building at a cost of twenty-five hundred dollars; also Grace Church spent a considerable sum in ·like work on their building. Our people take a reasonable pride in the care and protection of church property. Throughout the district we have a list of fine churches, village and country chapels, neat and modern-many of which are heated with furnaces and lighted with this quite modern system of gasoline . gas, making them comfortable and inviting places of worship.

Our connectional benevolences have received due consideration, and, with one or two exceptions, the pastors have devoted themselves by public effort and private solicitations in the hope of making the full apportionments in this year of plenty and growing prosperity. As a result,—while all of the apportionments will not be met in full,—I think the reports of the pastors will show an increase in the aggregate over last year. Quite a

number of charges will have all the benevolences in full. I give the aggregate as follows: Missions, \$3,922; I. W. U., \$808; Church Extension, \$345; Freedman's Aid, \$348; Sunday School Union \$—. I think there will be very little increase in the collections for Tract and Bible cause.

The Senior and Junior Leagues are developing our young people into earnest Christian workers. We have thirty-three Epworth Leagues with a membership of about six hundred and fifty. Our Sunday Schools are doing efficient work, never more so I believe than during the past year, and, with two or three exceptions, are supplied with our own excellent helps and literature.

Two sessions of the District Conference have been held. The fall session at Grace Church, Burlington, and the summer meeting at Crawfordsville, both of which, while not so large in attendance, were inspiring and helpful to the churches where held as also to the members present. The usual Disciplinary business was attended to, the records of which are here for the inspection of your committee.

Believing that our Conference Claimants should have a more adequate support, we have and do most heartily second the labors of our Field Agent, Brother R. L. Patterson of the Permanent Fund, and trust that so far as he may have visited the charges of our District his report will show a liberal response to this important Conference Fund.

The Iowa Methodist Hospital has had some attention in a few charges that have been visited by the Field Agents. Of the contributions to this most worthy institution I am not prepared to report; but know in a few instances, at least, there have been very liberal donations. As this worthy arm of church service becomes better known to the people there will be, I am sure, no doubt as to their interest in and support of it.

We have given faithful and continuous oversight to all the claims of Ministerial Support. In several charges there is a generous attitude toward the question of pastoral support. In no charge has there been a reduction from last year's claims, but, on the other hand, there has been an aggregate increase of eight hundred and fifty dollars, making the average salary on this District nine hundred and fifty-three dollars. We confess, in a few charges a deplorable lack of business system and of efficient stewards and officials. We are doing our best to

correct these evils, with some small degree of success, and with the hope of better things for time to come. We discountenance all fictitious values. Our purpose has been to have a liberal,--certainly a reasonable,---claim allowed, then to have no deficiencies. The report of pastors will declare how nearly we have succeeded.

Since the General Conference has given Ladies' Aid Societies Quarterly Conference recognition it is fitting that we make at least a brief reference to them and their work. All have been, with one or two exceptions, confirmed and their presidents approved as members of the Quarterly Conferences. The societies are of great worth to the local church. The financial features of their service is one of no small consideration. I regret that I am not able to give in this report even an approximate estimate of the amount of funds raised and disbursed. But the valuable service of these elect ladies in cultivating the social life of the churches and breaking down walls of partition, and thus, at least, indirectly helping people into the Kingdom, cannot be told in figures.

Our excellent church papers, the Advocate and Epworth Herald, do not have that patronage they should have. I think we have in the Burlington district one thousand Methodist families without any one of our periodicals.

The report that I may be expected to make of our College will be given in careful detail by President Hancher. I need only add that the effort to raise the Emergency Fund has been responded to by the laymen of the District to the extent that it is safe to say we are good for our equitable apportionment, and more, if need be. I fear we shall not reach our full apportionment of the Educational Collection, but we hope to report the amount of last year. In some charges it seems next to an impossibility to collect 25 cents per member. The attention of our people is more and more being directed to our Conference school, and there is a growing favor toward the University.

This report has only been given in outline and in general features of the work of Burlington district. Many things in detail, and personal, we should be pleased to give, but even then much of the real service and sacrifice of pastors and laymen could not be brought to light; for sometimes where results are not visible, there has been equal or greater endeavor, and thus: "When earthly parchments fail of record, it is a comfort to reflect there is a book where is recorded all events, all time afforded,

and whose witnessing it is which determines eternal felicities."

I conclude this report by answering nothing against the preachers of the Burlington district, as I verily believe they are blameless in life and character.

Respectfully submitted, T. J. Myers, Presiding Elder.

### Ottumwa District.

In submitting my sixth annual report of the Ottumwa District to the Iowa Conference; I wish to record my profound gratitude to Almighty God for the preservation of my life and health, and the continuance of His mercy; and to my brethren both of the ministry and laity of the church, for their unfailing kindness to me, and hearty co-operation in the work of the Lord.

Supplies---Five charges were left at last Conference to be supplied. Rev. C. L. Starr was secured for the Martinsburg Circuit, C. E. Pettit for Highland, J. H. Koch was transferred from the W. Va. Conference early in the year and appointed to the Pleasant Plain charge; J. W. Stine supplied the Iconium Circuit and R. V. Pike the Ottumwa Circuit for six months of the year, J. H. McDonnald for two months, and for the last three months we have been unable to secure a competent man for this charge. However, the Sunday Schools and the prayer and class services have been kept up at all the appointments.

Rev. C. R. Norton, who was appointed to the Batavia Circuit, owing to the serious illness of his family, was compelled to resign his charge, and the Rev. George H. Kemp, of the North Indiana Conference, has since supplied the work.

Revivals---Great emphasis has been given to evangelism with the result of more or less of the revival spirit abroad in all the charges of the district. Some of the charges have enjoyed seasons of great refreshing and witnessed the ingathering of many souls. Of these we mention the three churches of Ottumwa, Agency, Pleasant Plains Circuit, Martinsburg, Kirkville, Ottumwa Circuit, Bussey, Harvey and Tracey and Attica, while all the charges have reported conversions and reclaimations. In round numbers the results of these revivals have been 800 conversions and 700 accessions to the church. The last Sabbath of the Conference year was a red letter day to the church in Hedrick in

which ten persons professed conversion and twelve united with the church, all of whom are adults.

Material Improvements---The church at Tracy on the Harvey and Tracy charge which was practically rebuilt at the close of last year, was reopened and dedicated the first Sabbath after Conference by Dr. J. W. Hancher, assisted by the pastor O. G. Orcutt and the writer. The expense of the improvement, amounting to about \$1500.00, was amply provided for.

Our new and commodious parsonage at Moravia, mentioned in our report last year, was completed soon after Conference, and has since been occupied by the pastor J. C. Caughlan and his family.

A new and beautiful parsonage of two stories and seven good rooms has been erected at Attica, on the Attica Circuit, where Rev. R. A. Bruce is the pastor, at a cost of \$1250.00.

At Farson, where, until the present year, we had no appointment, Rev. C. L. Starr, pastor of Martinsburg Circuit, conducted a gracious revival which resulted in the organization of a good society, a flourishing Sunday School, and the erection of a new church at a cost of \$2,500. This church will be completed and dedicated by the first of November.

The building enterprise, mentioned in my report last year, as having been launched at Hedrick, has materialized beyond our expectations, resulting in the erection of one of the best parsonage properties in the District, replete with modern conveniences necessary for an ideal home. And also, in the erection of one of the most handsome, substantial and convenient church edifices in our district; and the best church building of any denomination in Keokuk County. This building is veneered with rock faced red paving brick, which gives it a beautiful appearance from without. Within, there is a main auditorium. seating, including the choir loft, 300 people; a large lecture room for the Sunday School and four additional rooms for recitations and primary work. The basement extends under the whole building, one half of which is devoted to the furnace and fuel, and the other half finished as a dining hall and kitchen. All of the rooms on the main floor are beautifully frescoed, nicely carpeted, and the rich furnishings and fixtures harmonize with the large art-glass windows, the harmony and blending of colors being carried out through all the rooms.

These buildings represent a cost of \$11,300. This church will be dedicated the 17th of September by Dr. B. I. Ives of

Auburn, N. Y. Only a modest part of the cost remains to be raised at that time.

Sunday Schools.—Our Sunday Schools are in a most flourishing condition and are an arm of great power for good in all of our churches. They are using our own literature and with but

few exceptions are organized into missionary societies.

Epworth League.—The Epworth League is still doing faithful work in most of the charges. A very helpful District Convention was held at Knoxville, June 20-23. These Epworth League Chapters are bringing our young people into harmony and co-operation with the church in all the advanced movements of the age.

District Conferences.—Two sessions of the District Conference were held this year, the first at Tracy, Iowa, in November,

and the second at Packwood, July 17-19.

These sessions were both well attended and proved to be seasons of inspiration and refreshing to all in attendance.

The Benevolent Causes.—The Benevolent Causes have received earnest attention on the part of our preachers and in many charges our people have responded heartily with their means to the appeal of the pastors for enlarged liberality in the support of the various Benevolent Causes. We hope that our reports will show advancement in all of these causes.

Periodicals.—While a good number of our people take a church paper, there is great need for an advance movement on the line of pushing the circulation of our church papers.

The Epworth Herald is growing more and more in favor with our people, and in many homes is supplanting our Christian Advocates.

I wish to speak in commendation of the good influence of World Wide Missions among our people. It comes to each person who contributed \$1.00 or more to the cause of missions the preceding year, and is overflowing with the most inspiring facts, fresh from our mission fields.

Permanent Fund.—The agent of our Conference Permanent Fund for our Conference Claimants, has been earnestly and most efficiently pushing his canvass among our charges, and has made friends for himself and the cause he represents whereever he has gone. The universal verdict of our people is that he is the right man for the place he fills.

In Conclusion .-- In laying down the Presiding Eldership of

this district, I must confess that I am sorry for the mistakes I have made, and that greater success has not been achieved during the past six years. But I am profoundly grateful for a few things which have been done. During the past six years we have built thirteen new churches and in almost every instance have succeeded in paying for them.

A large wing was added to the First M. E. church of Ottumwa and splendidly equipped for the Sunday School services and a large and commodious gallery was placed in the auditorium at a cost of \$12000.

The Willard Street Church of Ottumwa, under the direction of that prince of church builders, Rev. D. C. Smith, was practically rebuilt at a cost of \$4500.

The churches at Harvey and Tracy were remodeled, enlarged and rebuilt. The Harvey church costing about \$2400, and the improvements on the Tracy church \$1500.

Eleven new parsonages have been added to our district during this period. After adjusting the loss of the Cedar charge which was transferred to the Oskaloosa District two years ago, we find that an advance has been made in the salaries of our pastors of \$5638 up to the close of last year.

In round numbers 5000 have professed conversion during these years and nearly 4000 have been received into the church.

In comparing the number of members and probationers reported in our minutes six years ago, with the number which will be reported at this Conference, we are constrained to inquire, what has become of our members?

Almost 1000 of them have joined the Church Triumphant. About 2000 of them have removed from our borders. Our only comfort in view of these heavy losses is that those who have gone from among us are standing up bravely for the Master and Methodism in other parts of the country.

Some progress has been made in increasing the contributions to the Benevolent Collections, but this has not been what it should be, but we have been moving in the right direction.

And now with my interest in all that pertains to the work of the church in the district, unabated, and with a sense of high appreciation and profound affection for my brethren, both of the ministry and laity, I now resign my place to another, trusting that our Bishop may be divinely directed in the selection of a man for this important office.

J. W. LAMBERT,

Presiding Elder.

### Oskaloosa District.

Dear Fathers and Brethren: Through the unfailing goodness of God to myself and family during the past year, I am able to present the following account of the condition of the church in Oskaloosa District. Everywhere, from both pastors and laymen, I have received so many kindnesses that the otherwise burdensome toil has been a constant delight.

Supplies.--Because of the scarcity of men, Bishop McDowell was compelled to leave four charges to be supplied at the close of the Conference session one year ago. Immediately I was enabled to supply Barnes City, Delta and Rose Hill with W. J. Hamilton, O. E. Reade and O. E. McBride, respectively. Ewart was without a pastor for nearly one month when the services of B. F. Rogers, a member of the Northwest Kansas Conference, were secured. However his health was such that he was not able to withstand our rigorous winter and so tendered his resignation at Christmas. I was soon able to secure Earnest J. Starr, a local preacher, who has done splendid work,—there being a general desire for his return next year. At Delta, O. E. Reade served six months and then resigned. For three months this charge was without a pastor, when Charles H. Myers, a student at Drew Theological Seminary was secured to take the work until Conference. Brother Myers has proven himself "a workman that needeth not to be ashamed." He comes with the full endorsement of the District Conference for admission on trial.

Sickness and Death.--Our parsonage homes have been quite free from sickness this year, still I am pained to be compelled to report the death of that elect woman, Mrs. Zerilda A. Coxe, whose beautiful life was ever a source of inspiration and delight to those who had the privilege of coming closely in touch with it. Early in December, after a critical surgical operation, with the song of triumph upon her lips she passed to a gracious reward. She has gone, but behind her there remains a precious memory of deeds well done and a life well spent, and we bow our head submissively while the will of an All-wise Father is being unfolded.

Evangelism.—For months there has been a growing desire on the part of both pastors and laymen for the inauguration of a District evangelistic movement. Accordingly a meeting of the pastors was called at Grinnell early in March, where the subject of the needs and opportunities of a united evangelistic campaign

were discussed, with the result that the purchase of a tent was ordered and arrangements made for a summer campaign. A tent costing \$285 was secured, having a seating capacity for 800 people. This expense has been borne by the laymen of the dis-Tent meetings have been held at Peoria, Lacey, New Sharon, Thornburg and Barnes City with most gratifying results. It has been the purpose of the brethren to keep the tent in the most needy districts, where church life was lowest and religion largely forgotten. Consequently the results, numerically, have not been as large as might otherwise have been expected, but no one is discouraged. Twelve of the pastors were chosen for evangelists, their charges willingly releasing them from home duties to take up this much needed home mission The pastors chosen for the work were: Brothers Cummins, Edwards, Newsom, Phillips, Smith, U. S.; McBlain, Somerville, Wilson, McBride, Longnecker, Hanawalt and McClelland. During their absence their charges were supplied, Brothers Waring and Coxe rendering efficient service and in this way contributing directly to our successful efforts. Meetings without the tent were held at Kellogg and Lynnville. Our greatest embarassment lies in the fact of the number of places wanting the tent and the limited places that can have it during the season. I am certain that we are working along the right line and next year ought to see very large results.

Church Membership.---I find it quite hard to get satisfactory results as to Church membership in the District. But from reports sent in it now appears that we have a net gain in membership this year of about 250. It is certain that there have been more than twice the conversions this year that there were last.

Class Meetings.---Nineteen of the twenty-six charges report to me thirty-one class-meetings held regularly within the District. I think that possibly some of the pastors not reporting this item have class meetings. Of those reporting there is given an average attendance of 484. My judgment is that there has been a slight increase in both numbers of meetings held and average attendance.

Epworth Leagues.---I still have much concern as to the outcome of the Epworth League in most of the charges. We have but few chapters that are doing very much positive work for the spiritual uplift of the church. There are reported twenty-nine chapters, with a membership of 1190, which is a slight increase over last year. Either the League must be maintained as a

spiritual factor or else greater effort must be made to get our young people into the mid-week prayer meeting. Perhaps both

is the most desirable course of procedure.

Sunday Schools.---Last year we reported 5,516 Sunday School scholars. This year we report 5,766, an increase of 250. The average attendance for the year has been 3,450. The expense of the 54 schools for the year has been \$1908. This money is well spent, but has demanded great economy upon the part of our Sunday School boards to make it do the necessary work. Upon inquiry I find that there are about 400 S. S. Journals taken, 900 S. S. Advocates and 600 Classmates. In all of our schools, save one, I think, our own literature is taken exclusively.

Salaries.--The salaries promised at the beginning of the year were about the same in aggregate as promised last year. I think that in most cases the salaries will be fairly paid up, still there remains a few charges that have a bad habit of letting the pastor go to Conference without his money, and then because they get a pastor for another year, through some strange psychological process seem to be able to persuade themselves that the obligation is settled and there is no further need of concern, no matter how many unmet bills the pastor has or how many necessities he really demands. I have tried to study the situation as best I can to see how these deficiencies may be eliminated. I am more and more driven to the conclusion that the plan outlined in the Discipline is the only plan for our churches and that when followed there is little trouble in getting our pastoral support. I trust that the Conference will pardon me for two observations. The first is, that in several of our charges the membership of our Ouarterly Conferences needs a general shaking up. It is poor business policy to continue a man in official relation, simply because he has been an officer for many years. The Quarterly Conference is not the place for a collection of antiquities, but rather of live, up-to-date specimens of wide awake business men and women. Still we must not blame the laymen altogether. The pastor holds an important relation to the 'paid-up' salary proposition In order to help our stewards we need a wonderful awakening along the line of old-fashioned pastoral labor. I am persuaded that some pastors fail here. The need for pastoral work is apparent and the demand is imperative. A hearty response to this form of

ministerial work will greatly add to the pastor's bank account, as well as to his efficiency.

Church Indebtedness.---There is but little incumbrance upon our church or parsonage property, The Journal of last year reported an indebtedness of \$3,836. The pastors' reports to me show a decrease of \$1091. That there is a single dollar of indebtedness is so unnecessary, and I trust that one year hence this may be entirely swept away. At Lacey an old debt coming from the church building has been paid, amounting to \$250. Recently it was discovered that our parsonage property at Cedar was built upon land belonging to the C. B. & Q. railroad and immediate attention must be given to it. Through the efforts of the pastor a settlement was effected whereby the deed was secured upon the payment of \$190. Oskaloosa has reduced her indebtedness about \$500. A few other minor debts have been paid.

Improvements.—There has been a considerable amount of improvements made upon our churches and parsonages. Pella leads with the rebuilding of their church at an expense of \$3,100. We now have one of the most beautiful auditoriums there is to be found in the District, which bespeaks a new and better future for Methodism in this quaint Dutch town.

Taintor has put a new foundation under the church and painted and repaired the building generally. There and at Peoria about \$400 has been expended. Toole Chapel has just completed the raising of \$300 for the seating of their church. Brooklyn and What Cheer have each spent about \$300 in sidewalks, paint and paper, while New Sharon follows closely with the expenditure of about \$260. There have been lesser improvements upon other properties, the whole aggregating something over \$5,000.

At Montezuma our people are busily engaged in building a new church and expect to be able to dedicate on the last Sunday in November. When completed it will be one of our finest churches. The details of this enterprise must be left for my successor one year hence.

Benevolences.—In the main there has been a faithful presentation of the benevolent causes. The shrinkage in some of the charges must not be attributed to the fact of any inactivity on the part of the pastors in those charges. Local conditions have changed to such an extent in some of the charges as make the

high standard of last year impossible for this. Then, too, the absence of all of our secretaries this year is manifest in the results. However I am able to report for Missions \$3,639, as against \$3,949 of last year; Church Extension \$244, as against \$262; F. A. and So. Ed. Society \$235, as against \$255; Iowa Wesleyan \$710, as against \$678; S. S. Union \$68.00 as against \$55.00; Tract \$54.00 as against \$48.00; W. F. M. S. \$969, as against \$988; W. H. M. S. \$543, as against \$581; and Conference Claimants \$519, as against \$514. The total for benevolences being \$6,510, as against \$6,813 of one year ago.

It is proper that I should at this time report to the Conference the gifts of Mrs. J. C. W. Coxe, through her will, of \$100 to the Freedman's Aid and Southern Education and of about \$15,000 through the Missionary Society for an Osman Caldwell Memorial Hall for Reid Christian College, of Lucknow, India, in memory of a son who died some 16 years ago. These gifts will be turned to their proper places as soon as her estate can be settled.

Periodicals.—I am unable to give a comparative statement as to the periodicals taken within the District, with those taken one year ago. From the reports made I find 476 copies of Advocates taken and more than that amount of Epworth Heralds. That there are more Epworth Heralds taken than all of the Advocates combined is not due to its superior character, but rather to the fact that its subscription price is so much lower. That all of our literature should have a wider circulation is apparent. It is a continued source of regret as I visit hundreds of homes annually to find so many without any religious literature.

Conferences.—Two district Conferences were held during the year, the first at Brooklyn in November, and the second in June at Searsboro.

Conventions.—Interesting conventions of both the W. F. M. S. and the W. H. M. S. were held this year, both at Brooklyn. They were sources of great inspiration to the church there, as evidenced by their hearty advance in collections.

The Epworth League held a convention at Newton in June that was quite well attended considering the busy season in which it was held,

Temperance and Divorce.—I trust that I am not overstepping my privilege in this report when I refer to these two gigantic evils in our territory. We are without doubt facing tremendous

perils along the line of these evils. I find great need of an awakened conscience as to both. It is not an uncommon thing to find names of Methodists upon petitions for the maintenance of rum's iniquitious traffic, while social ties close too many mouths against the divorce evil. Pastors must preach more sermons against both evils and be leaders in every community in the fight against them.

During the year I have endeavored to do my best. Less than 90 days have been spent at home, and in the exclusive work of the District I have traveled over 7,500 miles by railroad and about 1,500 by team, yet with all of this there is much undone. I can but ask much charity on the part of my brethren for my weaknesses and much prayer for added strength and wisdom.

JOHN C. WILLITS, Presiding Elder.

### VII.

## REPORTS OF DISCIPLINARY COMMTTEES.

### AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY.

The American Bible Society has for its sole purpose the distribution of the Word of God. It has a place unique in the kingdom of God, but to do its work it must have the liberal support of all God's people. There is a great shrinkage in receipts from legacies. This deficiency must be made good by enlarged gifts from the living. Last year thirty-six charges of our conference reported nothing for this society, and the entire gifts of the conference amounted to but one per cent of the amount collected for missions.

Therefore, Resolved, That we comply with the request of its agents, and instruct the proper authorities to apportion to the various charges, for this society, an amount equal to three per cent of the amount apportioned for missions, and, as pastors, we will give the people the necessary information as to the work of the society, and urge them to give liberally.

#### BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

We wish to express our appreciation for the growing business of the Western Methodist Book Concern and gratitude for the substantial dividend from it to our conference claimants. We regret, however, the results following the change in the price of our western "Advocates" and desire an adjustment more satisfactory to our preachers and people. We disapprove, also, of the manner in which our publishing agents have been sending accounts to subscribers of our papers after the pastors have assumed the responsibility for the subscriptions and have notified the publishers thereof. We hope our people will patronize the publications from our presses, our Sunday Schools use the literature of our Union, a church paper enter every Methodist home and our new Methodist Hymnal soon come into general use by our churches as a manual of song.

### CHURCH EXTENSION.

We heartily congratulate the board of Church Extension and its friends on the splendid achievements of the past in providing houses of worship for those who most need them. Church extension as a factor in promoting the great interests of Christ's kingdom is indispensable and worthy of our best endeavor and liberality. The largest usefulness of this splendid organization has been diminished to some extent because the full apportionment has not been met, and as we recognize its existence as imperative to the church's opportunity in providing for those who need a helping hand. We should therefore consider its financial claims and meet the

full apportionment for this forerunner of Christian civilization. We therefore ask the preachers of the Iowa Conference to prayerfully consider its claims as it stands related to the progress of Methodism.

#### EDUCATION.

Your committee would respectfully report that we heartily commend the excellent work for higher Christian education, being done by the Board of Education.

We urge that Children's Day be observed and that the collection be taken in every charge as ordered by the Discipline. During the past year the Board has aided 1957 young people in education, 24 of whom have been residents of our territory.

We commend the "Christian Student" as a very useful publication.

We recommend that President Hancher's report to this conference be adopted as a whole and published in the Conference Journal.

We recommend the completion of the emergency fund now being created, and we re-affirm our recommendation of last year that twenty-five cents per member be the apportionment to be raised for the Iowa Wesleyan University, with the beneficiary provisions to charges contributory, already extant.

We hereby express our high appreciation of President John W. Hancher and his co-laborers in the faculty for their able and efficient work.

We recommend the following trustees and visitors to the Iowa Wesleyan University: Trustees whose terms expire 1909, H. N. Smith, J. F. Barnett, T. S. Pool, W. I. Babb, W. E. Keeler and Gardner Cowles. Visitors, U. S. Smith, H. C. Hollingsworth and Thornton Willits. Visitors to Garrett Biblical Institute, T. J. Myers, J. F. Barnett. Visitors to the Woman's College of Baltimore, W. P. Stoddard and J. A. Boatman.

We recommend that W. H. Perdew be appointed to deliver the annual educational address next year and that F. B. Tucker be his alternate.

We recommend that Hugh Cole be elected a trustee of Iowa Wesleyan University in the class to expire in 1907, to take the place made vacant by the resignation of W. R. Cole.

After due consideration of the resolution referred to us by the Iowa Annual Conference, calling for a revision of the charter of the Iowa Wesleyan University, as hereunto appended, we recommend that it be adopted, and its terms carried into effect without unnecessary delay.

#### THE RESOLUTION

Believing that the best interests of Iowa Wesleyan University would be conserved by a more liberal and generous provision in the charter for the election of its Trustees and Visitors, and believing that the interests of this Conference would be conserved and its influence in no way impaired by such more liberal and generous policy, we recommend to the authorities of the Iowa Wesleyan University that a revised charter be procured through the proper legal processes of the State of Iowa at as carly a date as possible, which shall provide that, instead of the Iowa Conference electing all of the Trustees of the University as has been the rule and custom under the present charter, the Iowa Conference shall annually elect three Trustees, each to serve for a term of four years; that the Alumni Association shall annually elect two Trustees, each to serve for a term of four years, and that the Board of Trustees shall annually elect two Trustees, each to serve for a term of four years.

We further recommend that the proposed revised charter shall provide for the election of one Conference Visitor annually by the lowa Conference, and one Conference Visitor annually by the Alumni Association, and that the term of each and every Visitor so elected shall be three years.

Respectfully submitted this 8th day of September, 1905.

T. S. POOL.

T. J. MYERS. W. G. THORN.

J. F. BARNETT.

JOHN C. WILLITS.

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#### FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT OF JOHN W. HANCHER.

President of Iowa Wesleyan University, to the Sixty-Second Annual Session of the Iowa Conference, Albia, Iowa, September 6, 1905.

Iowa Wesleyan has closed another year's history-making. The enrollment of

#### STUDENTS

in all departments is about three per cent in excess of that of the preceding year. The number of professors and instructors has been somewhat larger than hitherto. Because of this there have been no student tutors, the regularly elected professors and instructors having been able to care for all the classes and lectures. The Y. M. C. A., the Y. W. C. A., students' class organizations and faculty combined to the end that all Christian students might be led into richer experiences, and that all un-Christian might be brought to public acknowledgement, confession and acceptance of the Christian religion. These organizations and efforts were aided in no small way by the untiring efforts of the aggressive and godly pastor who represents this Conference in caring for the interests of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Mt. Pleasant. Eighty-nine per cent of the students of the Academy and College of Liberal Arts professed the Christion religion at the close of the year. The religious life was not marked

by such waves of enthusiasm or emotional manifestations as we have sometimes witnessed, but there was a solidity and reliability in the religious life of the college this year that was most gratifying and encouraging. Not many changes occurred in the

#### FACULTY.

Rev. Elias Handy. A. B., A. M., who was the faithful and efficient Principal of the Academy and Professor of Pedagogies and Oratory, resigned at the close of the first term to enter the service of the State Sunday School Association as its Field Secretary.

Miss Elizabeth Dean took his work in Pedagogics, in addition to the work she was already carrying, and Mrs. A. C. Piersel, the wife of our Dean of the College of Liberal Arts, was procured to take charge of the classes in Oratory for the remainder of the year.

Rev. G. L. Minear, A. B., S. T. B., a member of this Conference, who was already under appointment by Bishop McDowell as one of the field secretaries of Iowa Wesleyan, was elected to fill the vacancy in the principalship in the academy, occasioned by the resignation of Professor Handy, but continued in the field as a Financial Secretary until Commencement, since when he has been industriously engaged in cultivating your patrons and looking to a student patronage for next year in a specific portion of the Conference territory.

The above mentioned changes were made by the Board of Trustees at its mid-year session, January 11—12, 1905.

Miss Alice J. Haw having resigned her position as Physical Director at the Commencement meeting of the Board in June, 1904, in which position she had rendered most satisfactory service, and no successor having been chosen by the Board, the Executive Committee procured the services of Miss Gertrude Gazelle Gardner, a special instructor in the Mt. Pleasant High School, who had charge of the Physical Culture classes of your school during the year.

It was understood that the above named supplies were temporary, although they rendered such valuable services that the Board would have been glad to retain them had it been practicable to do so.

Miss Emma S. Stover, A. B., A. M., who last year occupied the chair of English Literature in your college, found the climate of southeastern lowa entirely too rigorous for her somewhat unstable and treacherous health, and she was obliged, against her own inclinations and the positively expressed wishes of the Faculty and Board, to ask to be relieved from further service at the close of the school year. Elected as she was upon the recommendation of Bishop McDowell, she was so efficient that our Board found it easy in June to select her successor upon the same competent recommendation, ably and enthusiastically supported as it was by the special commendation of our present presiding Bishop, Henry W. Warren; and Lilian Winnifred Willard, A. B., A. M., an ahmuna of Denver University, well equipped by graduate training in the university for

her special work, product of the home of a Methodist Sunday school superintendent of long standing in Illinois, and a tried teacher of a half-dozen years' experience, is now at Mt. Pleasant to take charge of the work of English Literature at the opening of your school next Tuesday.

The positions of Oratory and Physical Culture have been combined, and Miss Elizabeth Hopkins, Ph. B., an alumna of your college, class of 1898, a daughter of a one-time member and vice-president of its faculty, a graduate of the Columbia School of Oratory and the Chicago School of Physical Culture, is in charge of that work.

Miss Elizabeth Dean, who has served so acceptably as Preceptress of Elizabeth Hershey Hall, declined to continued longer in that position, and she has been transferred to the department of Pedagogics, where she will devote her time to building and developing your Normal Department.

Mrs. Jessie Popham Lenocker, widow of a former professor in the State University of Iowa, succeeds Miss Dean as Preceptress at Elizabeth Hershey Hall, and will arrive at Mt. Pleasant on the 9th inst. to enter your service.

For the past two years we have had no instructor in the department of Belle Lettres, the Board and Executive Committee having chosen to leave the place vacant and the work undone until they could procure a head for that department of special qualification, equipment and adaptability. Such instructor has been found willing to undertake the work in the person of Miss Adele Brooks, a young woman who has had four years' special training under the best masters for her specialty, and who has had three years' experience as a teacher in that department. She is just now direct from New York City where she has spent the past year in thorough and painstaking study. Miss Brooks is well known among the Art-loving people of Mt. Pleasant, and commands their uniform confidence and enthusiastic support. I have great satisfaction in seeing her enter upon this work and great confidence that she will be able to achieve worthy results. The

correctly reported one year ago as having been reduced to \$22,000, now stands at \$16,800, the sum of \$5,200 having been applied in payment upon the principal sum, and interest having been paid up to its last maturity, June 1st, during the year. There still remain sufficient bills receivable, interest earning, to cover this amount, and many of the contributors are planning to liquidate their obligations to this fund during the next year. I am sure you will be gratified to know that this amount has been collected and applied, and that good cheer and confidence seem to characterize the persons who contributed these funds. The

#### EMERGENCY FUND

authorized last year and expected to be completed within the year remains unfinished. Professor Minear devoted nine months of the year to that work, and Field Secretary Powelson has devoted such part of the year as he did not have leave of absence, to the work. He was excused for a number of weeks during the year to give necessary attention to his own personal affairs. He and Professor Minear were assisted for about ten months by Rev. J. A. Sinclair, who was in the employ of the Executive Committee from early in November, 1904, until the end of August last. Personally, I was able to give but little attention to the Emergency Fund during the year. It totals to date about \$26,000, of \$4350 a year for six The difficulties anticipated in undertaking to raise this fund because of the recent large contributions to the 20th Century Fund were not so great as we anticipated, but the natural objection of cautious people, who expect to pay their debts, to signing an obligation to continue for a term of six years, has greatly embarrassed us. However, the work has been faithfully and persistently carried forward. Difficult as this task has been, the present total subscription is a fair measure of the reasonable expectation of that portion of the territory systematically covered in the canvass. Only the Burlington and Keokuk districts have had anything like an exhaustive canvass. Each of these districts has already subscribed about eighty per cent of the total amount expected of it, and I confidently expect that the other twenty per cent will be forthcoming. We therefore report progress, and ask for further time in which to complete this splendid fund, as confident that it will be done as we are that it has been carried forward thus far. The basis of apportionment for the

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adopted at Newton four years ago and followed since is, without doubt, a valuable and helpful thing. It has already resulted in more than \$6,000 increase over the previous period of an equal number of years. I hope the Conference will be glad to adopt the same apportionment for the current year, and am authorized by the Trustees to extend the same privileges of credit to your charges raising the full apportionment, to the benefit of worthy and needy students, to the limit of the total amount of your contributions. The

#### ENDOWMENT

has not grown materially during the year. The last will and testament of Mr. Charles E. Smith of Burlington left to us an undivided one-fourth interest in a section of land in Arkansas, the equity in which is said to be about \$1,500; and the last will and testament of the late James A. Burbage, of Agency City, left us a direct bequest of \$1,000. The will of Mr. Smith was contested, and we were obliged to compromise at a cost of about \$150. Mr. Burbage had made three wills, and his estate is now in litigation as to which one shall be determined as his last will and testament, but your interests are not in jeopardy, as each of the three wills make your college a legatee in the sum of \$1,000. These bequests are without instruction and may be applied by the Board of Trustees to the benefit of the Endowment Fund or to the benefit of other funds as may seem best to them. The detailed endowment need for twelve specific chairs

named in my last report and published in the year book of 1904, page 49, met the approval of the Board of Trustees of Iowa Wesleyan and was adopted by them, and has had much commendation in person and by letter from patrons of your college. I hope that this Conference will reaffirm that need with emphasis. The very great need of

#### GENERAL IMPROVEMENTS

on your buildings and grounds was seen by the Board at the last meeting, and instructions were given that as soon as the Emergency Fund is completed steps should be taken toward establishing a general repair fund, and that as rapidly as the resources are in sight general improvement should be made to the buildings and campus, until all are in an excellent state of repair. These repairs include new roofs for the Main Hall and Chapel and Science Hall, arranging and fitting of physical and biological laboratories, painting, frescoing and other needed improvements on these and the Conservatory, as well as some small improvements on Elizabeth Hershey Hall; cement walks on and about the campus as needed, and a general heating system that shall provide for the greater cleanliness, comfort and convenience of all persons connected with your college. As was announced in my former report, last June was fixed as the time for the celebration of your

#### SEXTENNIAL.

The preparation for that notable event cost many busy weeks, full of long days and often weary nights. In harmony with the recommendations of the faculty and the instructions of the Trustees, we changed the courses of study from the term system to the semester system. The courses of study were at the same time carefully revised, as was the entire catalog. To this I gave careful personal attention, and in it I was graciously assisted by Professors Piersel and Lymer. We are glad to submit the result in the catalog bulletin of 1905, which we shall deposit with the Secretary as a part of this report. We beg to call the attention of the Conference to the fact that it contains the charters of the institution from the beginning, and also the revised by-laws of the Board of Trustees, upon which the Hon. W. S. Withrow, B. S., Judge of the Circuit Court of the 20th indicial district, and your president spent very much time, and to which we gave no little earnest work. Early in the year we conceived the idea of publishing a historic sketch and alumni record of the institution. The Alumni Record was largely compiled by Mr. Carl S. Williams, M. S., '82, Secretary and Treasurer of the Williams Organ & Piano Company, a Trustee of the University, and one of the most valuable and enthusiastic helpers with whom I have been associated in all my college experience. I found great personal joy in preparing the historic sketch. Imagine my delight to have brought to light one day by my helpers the original Articles of Association of the first organization for Christian education under the anspices of the Methodist Episcopal Church effected in Iowa, and also an antograph letter of Dr. Adam Clark, bearCAUGHLAN, J. C., Iowa—Martinsburg, '88; Durham, '90; Eddyville, 92; Kirkville, '96; Packwood, 1900; Bussey, '03; Moravia, '04.

CLAPP, W. L., Iowa—Martinsburg, '93; Boston Theo. School, '93; Crawfordsville, '96; Muscatine Ct., 1900; Wellman, '03.

COATES, JAS. M., Iowa—Richmond, '60; Millersburg, '61; West Libe '62; Wilton, '64; North Liberty, '65; Sweetland Center, '67; Mill burg, '69; Malcom, '70; Kellogg, '73; Newton circuit, '75; Granv '78; Supernumerary, '79; North Newton circuit, '80; Pella, '81; Vic '83; located, '84; re-admitted, '89; Oxford, '89; Ainsworth, '92; Madison, Santa Fe Ave., '97; Millersburg, '99; Supernumerary, '01. '61; West Liberty, Center, '67; Millers-cuit, '75; Granville,

COCHRAN, C. W., Iowa-Salina, '01; West Point, '03; Sperry, '05.

COLLIER, RICHARD, Iowa, 88—Deep River, '88; Taintor, '91; Beacon, '92; Lynnville, '94; Mystic, '98; Bentonsport, 1901; Bonaparte, '02; Eldon, '03; Cincinnati, '05.

PER, C. S., Missouri—New London, '69; Warrenton, '70; Brookfield, 72; Macon City; '73; Iowa, Keosauqua, '73; Sigourney, '76; Missouri, Plattsburg, '79; Mayville, '80; West Neb. Mission, '83; Iowa, Kossuth, 90; Kirkville, '92; Keokuk Dist., '97; Albia, '03; Temperance Agt. for '72; Miller, '79; Plattsburg, '79; '90; Kirkville, '9. Iowa Conf.,

CORLEY, J. E., Iowa—Malcom, '71; Victor, '72; North Newton, '73; located, '74; Morning Sun, '77; Kossuth, '79; Fort Madison, '81; Marengo, '84; Oskaloosa, Simpson, '86; Montezuma, '88; Burlington Dist., '90; Grinnell, '96; West Liberty, '99; Milton, 1900; Fairfield, '01; Supernumerary, '03; Deep River, '05.

COUCHMAN, T. B., Iowa-Attica, '03; Lovilia, '04.

COUCHMAN, T. B., Iowa—Attea, 05; Lovina, 04.

COXE, J. C. W., Vermont—Bellows Falls, 1864; Groton, '65; Lyndon, '68; Springfield, '69; Montpelier, '71; Principal Vt. Meth. Seminary, '72; Iowa, Burlington, Division St., '74; Washington, '77; Oskaloosa, First Ch., '79; Brooklyn, '82; Western Gen. Agent S. S. Union and Tract Society, '85; Conference S. S. Agent, '92; Financial Agent I. W. U., '93; Muscatine Dist., '95; Knoxville, 1901; Agent Permanent Fund, '03; Oskaloosa, '04.

JLL, L. A., Oklahoma, '94; Iowa, '97; Millersburg, '97; Sweetland, '99; Danville, '01; Supernumerary, '03; Kellogg, '04.

Superannuate. CRAIG, JESSE.

CUMMINS, J. P., Minn., '03; Iowa, '04; Hillsboro, '04; Mt. Union, '05.

CUMMINS, L. G., Iowa-Lacey, '03.

DALY, EUGENE S.-Milton, '02; Supernumerary, '03.

DAVIS, JOHN, New Connection, Canada, '69; Iowa—Chillicothe, '71; I pendence, '73; Keota, '74; Webster, '77; Brighton, '79; Millersh '81; Pleasant Hill, '84; Lexington, '87; Lone Tree, '90; Beacon, Iconium, '03; Troy, '04. '71; Inde-

DECKER, JOHN S., Iowa-Melrose, 1900; Sperry, '02; Burlington West, '03; Mt. Pleasant West, '04.

DILLON, WILLIAM H., Iowa—Melrose, 94; Pleasant Plain, '96; Martinsburg, '99; Durham, '01; West Chester, '02; Williamsburg, '05.

IMITT, JOHN H., Iowa—Donnelson, 1900; Washington Ct., sionary to Umtali, Africa, '03; Missionary in Leads, S. D., '04.

DE YOE, J. V. Delta, '05. WILLARD, Iowa-Blakesburg, '98; Lacey, 1900; school, '03;

DOUD, EDWARD E., Iowa—Mt. Union, '85; Supernumerary, Pulaski, '88; Libertyville, '92; Thornburg, '94; Reasnor, '95; New London, '97; Crawfordsville, 1900; Avery, '02; Missionary to Arizona, '04.

Crawfordsville, 1900; Avery, '02; Missionary to Arizona, '04.

EDWARDS, FRED C., Iowa—Beacon, '04; Pella, '05.

ETHEL, H. C., Iowa—New London, '90; Fairfield Ct., '91; Lebanon, '92; Bentonsport, '93; Beacon, '94; Supernumerary, '95; Superannuated, '01.

EVANS, F. W., Iowa—Pittsburg, 1851; Farmington, '52; Montrose, '53; Keokuk and Bloomfield, '54; Montrose, '55; Albia, '56; Ottumwa, '57; Keokuk, '58; Muscatine, '59; Chaplain 35th Iowa Infantry, '61; Keosauqua, '65; Albia, '66; Washington, '67; Muscatine District, '68; Burlington, '71; Osceola, '73; Mt. Pleasant, '75; Newton, '80; Fairfield, '82; Oskaloosa, '84; Knoxville, '88; Supernumerary, '90; Superannuate, 1900.

ESTONE, J. B., Iowa—Keosauqua Ct., '98; Libertyville, 1900; School, '02; Missionary to China, '05.

FERGUSON, J. S.—Superannuated, Keokuk, '03.

FILMER, GEO., N. Y., East. 1874; Iowa—Milton, '91; Danville, '93; Ainsworth, '97; Lexington, '01; Kalona, '03.

- FRAKER, J. W., Iowa—North Newton Ct., '84; Rose Hill, '85; Taintor, '87; Farmington, '91; Birmingham, '94; Mt. Pleasant Ct., '97; New London, 1900; Supernumerary, '04; Superannuated, '05.

  FRY, W. L., Iowa—Durham, '95; Marysville, '96; Pleasant Plain, '98; Unionville '99; Martinsburg, '01; Cedar, '03; Reasoner, '05.
- RDNER, W. S., Iowa—Abingdon, '82; Salina, '83; Webster, '84; Draville, '87; Eldon, '90; Ottumwa, Willard St., '91; Oskaloosa, Simp Ch., '93; Fremont, '94; Keokuk, First Ch., '98; Moulton, '02; Albia, GARDNER, Simpson
- GILBERT, H. F., Iowa—Mt. Zion, '93: Keosauqua Ct., '94: Batavia, '97; West Burlington, '98; Eddyville, 1900; Cedar, '01; Packwood, '03; Cantril, '04.
- GROOME, WILLIAM N., Iowa—Batavia, '74; Keokuk, First Ch., '76; Boston Theological School, '80; New Sharon, '83; Keosauqua, '84; Missionary to Idaho, '86; Pella, '87; Ottumwa, Main St., '89; Wilton Junction, '92; Keota, '94; Malcom, '96; Whatcheer, '97; Deep River, '99; Beacon, 1900; Unionville, '01; Conf. Evangelist, '02.
- HACKLEY, J. W., Iowa—Hillsboro, '82; Batavia, '83; Keokuk, First, '84; Lexington, '85; Sigourney, '87; Knoxville, '89; Grinnell, '94; Muscatine, First Ch., '96; Albia, '99; Burlington, Grace Ch., 1900; Newton, '03.
- HAINES, A. W., Supernumerary, '02.
- HALL, W. N., Iowa—Letts, '80; Marengo, '82; Sigourney, '84; Keosauqua, '86; Burlington, Grace, '87; Supernumerary, '90; Ft. Madison, Santa Fe Ave., '93; Winfield, '94; Superannuated, '98; Tiffin, '99; Wilton, 1900; Hedrick, '02; New Sharon, '03.
- HANAWALT, G. H., Iowa—Beacon, '96; Delta, '98; Victor, '02.

  HANCHER, J. W., S. Kan.—Cottonwood Falls, '80; Florence, '81; Upper Iowa, Clarksville, '83; Nashua, '84: Missionary to Black Hills, '87; Black Hills, Rapids City, '87; President Black Hills College, '89; St. Louis, Grand Ave. Ch., Kansas City, '97; N., New York, Herkimer, '99; Iowa, Pres. I. W. U., '01.
- HANDY, ELIAS, Iowa—Lebanon, '90; Mystic, '92; Newton Ct., '96; What Cheer, '99; Prof. I. W. U., '02; Washington, '05.
- HANKINS, B. G., Iowa-Sperry, '97; Oakville, 1900; Salem, '03.
- HANKINS, CHARLES B., Iowa-Montrose, '04; Libertyville, '05.
- HANLEY, J. R., Iowa-Westchester, 1900; Sweetland, '02; Keota, '04.
- HARDY, J. B., Rock River—Mt. Pleasant, 1842. Iowa—Clear Creek, '42; Farmington, '43; Pittsburg, '44; Muscatine, '45; Ottumwa, '46; Dodgeville, '47; Marion, '48; Iowa City, '49; West Point, '50; Oskaloosa, '51; Des Moines District, '52; Fairfield, '54; Bloomfield, '58; Keokuk, '59; Birmingham, '60; Oskaloosa District, '62; Albia, '66; rested, '67; Grinnell, '68; Mitchellville, '69; Sidney, '70; Bluegrass, '71; Victor, '73; Ft. Madison, '74; Eddyville, '76; Superanuated, '77.
- HARGETT, H. W., Iowa-Ottumwa, First Ch., '05.
- HAWK, C. E., North Neb., 1900; Iowa—Chillicothe, '02; Durham, '03; Koszta, '04; Amish, '05.
- HAWK, P. H., Iowa-Richland, '03; Keosauqua, '05.
- HIGHTSHOE, A. B., Iowa—West Point, '89; Lone Tree, '94; Sigourney, '98; Montezuma, '01; Ft. Madison, '03; Ottumwa, Main St., '05.
- 198; Montezuma, '01; Ft. Madison, '03; Ottumwa, Main St., '05.

  HILL, J. B., Ohio, '47—Ripley and Ravenswood, '47; Somerville and Fayette, '48; discontinued, '49; W. Virginia, '52; New California Mission, '52; Harrisville, '54; Elizabeth, '56; Iowa, '57; Muscatine Ct., '57; North Liberty, '59; Richmond, '61; Pleasant Hill, '62; Lexington, '63; Richmond, '64; Mt. Pleasant, '66; New London, '68; Marshall, '69; Oskaloosa Dist., '70; Agency, '74; Batavia 'and Libertyville, '76; Muscatine, '78; Agency, '80; Lovilia, '82; Melrose, 83; Beacon, '84; Batavia, '85; Albia, '86; Durham, '87; Fremont, '90; Chillicothe, '92; Hedrick, '93; Batavia, '94; Superannuated, '95.
- HUGHES, T. B., W. Va., 1857—Calhoun, Harrisville, '58; Glenville, '59; Spencer, '61; W. Union, '62; Middlebourne, '63; Moundsville, '64; Iowa—Grinnell, '85; Oskaloosa Dist., '90; Bloomfield, '96; Albia, 1900; Sigourney, '03; Agency, '05.
- GHES, L., Iowa—Keosauqua Ct., 1900; Durham, '01; Martinsburg, '03; West Grove, '04; Taintor, '05. HUGHES,
- INGHAM, H. A., Iowa—Blakesburg, '94; Tracy, '96; Brighton, '99; Keosauqua, '02; Winfield, '05.

- L., Iowa—New London, 1886; Neb., '88; Iowa—Moravek, '97; Moulton, 1900; Keokuk, First, '04; Knoxville, '05. INGHAM. -Moravia, '94; Hedrick,
- IRELAND, W. B., Iowa—Unionville, '93; Cedar, '94; Lovilia, '95; Durham, '96; Mt. Union, '98; West Point, 1900; Drakeville, '02; Pulaski, '04.
- JAMES, AARON T., Iowa-Lynnville, '04; school, '05.
- JONES, LUCIAN B., Iowa-Exline, '04; school, '05.
- JCNES, W. H., Reasoner, '02; Ottumwa Ct. '05.
- JORDAN, ARTHUR L., Iowa—Sperry, '04; Oakville, '05.
- KEMBLE, I. O., Iowa—Pella, '65; Marengo, '68; Bloomfield, '71; Albia, '74; I. W. U., '76; Rose Hill, '78; Newton Ct., '80; Sigourney, '83; Washington, '84; Newton, '87; Muscatine Dist., '89; Centerville, '95; Fairfield, '98; Keokuk, Chatham Sq., '01; Keokuk, '04; Supernumerary, '05.
- KEMP, GEO. H.—North Indiana, 1895; Iowa—Batavia, '04; West Chester, '05.
- KENDRICK, A. V., Iowa—Springfield, '73; Malcom, '76; New Sharon, '79; Oskaloosa, Simpson, '82; S. Burlington, '84; Ft. Madison, '87; West Liberty, '91; Keokuk, Chatham Sq., '94; Brooklyn, '96; Centerville, 1900; Keokuk Dist., '03.
- KENDRICK, J. C., Iowa—Springfield, '69; Keota, '70; Abingdon, '72; Wayland, '73; New London, '76; Winfield, '78; Wapello, '80; Richland, '82; Eldon, '85; Ainsworth, '87; Sigourney, '89; Ottumwa, Main St., '93; Muscatine Ct., '95; Pella, 98; Agency, '01; Columbus Junction, '03.

  KIGHT, W. S., Iowa—Abingdon Ct., '84; Dclta, '86; Malcom, '90; Sonora, '94: Columbus, Jct., '97; Ladora, 1900; Lovilia, '02; Eddyville, '04.
- KING, PETER I., Iowa-Hocking and Avery, '04; Attica, '05.
- KOCH, J. H., Iowa-Bussey, '05.
- LAMBERT, J. W., Keokuk, '05.
- LIGHT, O. P. Illinois—Williamsburg, 1852; Paradise, '53; Greenup, '54; Okan Mission, '55; Minnesota—Crow River, '56; Anakaw Ct., '57; Otsego Ct., '58; Minneapolis Ct., '59; Greenwood Prairie, '60; Marion, '61; Chaplain U. S. Army, '62; Stockton, '64; Iowa—Bluegrass, '67; Grandview, '69; Brooklyn, '71; Agency, '72; Birmingham, '74; New London, '75; Ainsworth, '77; Mount Pleasant Ct., '79; Burlington Ct., '81; Kossuth Ct., '82; Wapello, '83; Supernumerary, '84.
- LONGNECKER, W. A., Iowa—Sperry, '92; student at Boston, '94; Lacey, '97; Deep River, '01; Letts, '05.
- LYMER, ELMER E., Des Moines—Coin, '82; Farragut, '83; Essex, '84; Farragut, '87; Missionary to Black Hills, Sturgis, '88; V. Pres. Black Hills College, '90; President Black Hills College, '97; N. W. Iowa—Ida Grove, '99; Spirit Lake, 1900; Dean Morning Side College, '01; Prof. I. W. U., '04.
- MAHAFFIE, A. M., Iowa, '94—West Point, '95; Mt. Union, 1900; Dan-ville, '04.
- MARTIN, D. R., Iowa—Oskaloosa Ct., '96; Delta, '97; Kellogg, '98; Newton Ct., '01; Milton, '04.
- McBLAIN, A. W., Iowa—Oskaloosa Ct., '95; Taintor, '96; Rose Hill, '98; Thornburg, '01; Newton Circuit, '04.

  McCLELLAND, J. M., Iowa—Tiffin, '92; Sweetland, '94; Student I. W. U., '97; Marengo, 1900; Grinnell, '03.
- MILLICE, H. C., Iowa—Koszta, '83; Cincinnati, '84; Salem, '85; Selma, '86; Chillicothe, '87; Lovilia, '89; Attica, '92; Packwood, '95; Cedar, '97; Pulaski, '98; Drakeville, '99; Nichols, 1900; Amish, '02; Lynnville, '05.
- MINEAR, G. L., Iowa, '94—Salina, '95; Libertyville, '97; student at Boston, '98; Cantil, '01; agent I. W. U., '04; Prof. I. W. U., '05. MONKMAN, JESSE, Iowa—Drakeville, '04.
- MONKMAN, GEORGE E., Iowa-Chillicothe, '04.
- MONTGOMERY, C. H., Iowa—West Point, '73; Winchester, '74; Albia Ct., '77; Durham, '78; Attica, '79; Kirksville, '82; Kossuth, '84; S. W. Kansas Conf., '86; Iowa Conf., Victor, '95; Muscatine Ct., '98; Mt. Pleasant Ct., 1900; Letts, '02; Sonora, '04.
- MOORE, W. S., Iowa—Brookville, 1900; Hedrick, '92; Durham, '93; Rich land, '95; Agency, '99; Kirkville, 1900; Pulaski, '02; Cincinnati, '03 Donnellson, '05.
- MORRISON, FRED E., Iowa-Sweetland, '04.

- MYERS, T. J., Iowa—New Sharon, '69; Sigourney, '70; Otley, '71; I fountaine, '72; Kirkville, '74; Kossuth, '77; Danville, '80; S. Burlton, '83; Burlington Dist., '84; Centerville, '90; Keokuk Dist., Treas. I. W. U., '97; Burlington Dist., 1902. Burling
- NEWSOM, J. E., Iowa, '90—Bengal, '90; North India, Cawnpore, '91; Northwest India, '92; Iowa Blue Grass, '95; Wellman, '96; West Liberty, 1900; Brooklyn, '03.
- NORTON, C. R., Iowa—Salem, '72; Unionville, '73; Hamilton, '75; Chillicothe, '77; What Cheer, '80; Sweetland, '83; Milton, '86; Mediapolis, '91; Hedrick, '94; Moravia, '97; Superannuate, '03; Batavia, '04; Supernumerary, '05. ary,
- ORCUTT, O. G., Iowa, '01, West Mt. Pleasant Circuit—Attica, '02; Harvey, '03; Packwood, '05. vey,
- OSBORN, T., Iowa—Williamsburg, '89; Wellman, '93; Mt. Pleasant West Ct., '95; Agency, '97; Winfield, '99; Fairfield, '03.
- E, C. N., Iowa—Tl 02; Sigourney, '05. -Thornburg, '99; student at Garrett, '01; Lone Tree,
- PATTERSON, R. L., Iowa—Martinsburg. '84; Brighton, '85; Keota, '87; Eldon, '88; What Cheer, '90; Brooklyn, '92; Keokuk First Church, '95; Keosauqua, '98; Wapello, 1900; Ottumwa, Willard St., '01; Agent Permanent Fund, '04.
- NE, J. R., Iowa—Lebanon, '88; Montrose, '89; West Burlington, Chillicothe, '91; Maryville, Mo., '92; Iowa, Riverside, '94; North glish, '96; Keota, '99; Wilton, '02; Letts, '04; Supernumerary, '05. PAYNE,
- PERDEW, W. H., Iowa—Columbus City, '94; student in Boston, '96; New Sharon, 1900; Mediapolis, '03.
- PHELPS, W. A., Genesee, '84; Iowa, '92.
- PHILLIPS, D., Iowa—Lynnville, '89; Newton Ct., '93; Deep River, '96; Sonora, '99; Malcom, '03.
- PIERSEL, A. C., Iowa-I. W. U., 1900.
- POAGE, F. I., Iowa—Evans, '98; Lynnville, '99; Ewart, '01; School, '02; Missionary to Indian Ter. '05.
- POOL, G. W., Iowa—Troy, '89; Drakeville, '91; Birmingham, '93; Farmington, '94; Cincinnati, '96; West Grove, '98; Richland, '99; Keota, '02; Wilton, '04.
- POOL, J. W., Iowa—Hillsboro, '94; Crawfordsville, '95; student, '96; Kossuth, '97; Ft. Madison, Santa Fe, '99; Ladora, '03.
- POOL, R. D., ford, 1900. Iowa-Muscatine, Park Avenue, '97; Blue Grass, '99; Ox-
- POOL, T. S., Iowa—Bentonsp 1900; Mt. Pleasant Ct., '02. Iowa-Bentonsport, '87; Salem, '90; Wapello, '95; Letts,
- POTTER, JOHN, Iowa, '70—Millersburg, '70; Lancaster, '71; Hamilton, '72; Chillicothe, '74; Durham, '76; Albia Ct., '78; Unionville, '79; Koszta, '80; Pleasant Hill, '81; Kellogg, '83; Lynnville, '84; Richland, '85; S. Kan., '87; Iowa, '88; Eddyville, '88; Supernumerary, '90; Rose Hill, '91; Knoxville Ct., '93; Ewart, '94; Supernumerary, '96; Exline, 1900; Superannuated, '01; effective, Nichols, '02; Supernumerary, '03.

  POTTER, JOHN W., Iowa—Columbus Jct. and Crawfordsville, '87; Burlington Ct., '89; Wellman, 91; Williamsburg, '93; West Burlington, '94; Milton' '96: Bloomfield. 1900; Muscatine. 1st Ch., '05.
- POTTER, W. N., Iowa—Sigourney Ct., '83; Melrose, '83; Piano, '84; Keosauqua Ct., '85; Selma, '87; Webster, '88; Letts, '92; Ladora, '94; Attica, '98; Lexington, '99; Ainsworth, '01.
- POWELSON, C. W., Iowa—Plano, '86; Cincinnati, '91; Mt. Pleasant Ct., '92; Burlington Ct., '97; Agent Iowa Wesleyan, '03;
- PUGH, H. F., Iowa—Fremont, '73; Richland, '74; Martinsburg, '75; Keota, '77; Malcom, '79; Tiffin, '81; Blue Grass, '83; Ladora, '86; Ainsworth, '89; Winfield, '92; Letts, '94; Williamsburg, '96; Lone Tree, '98; Pella, '01; Melrose; Riverside, '04.
- E, W. J., South Dakota—Pierre, '93; Sturges, '96; Pres. Black Hills College, '99; St. Louis, Harlem Place, 1900; Iowa, Kalona, '02; North English, '03.
- REUSCH, MOSES E., Michigan—Alden, '96; Traverse City, Asbury Ch., '97; Albion College, '99; Iowa, Wapello, '03.

  ROBINSON, H. T., Iowa, '94—Hillsboro, '95; student in Boston, '97; Barnes City, 1900; Kellogg, '01; Delta, '03; Mt. Union, '04; Wayland, '05.

ROLINSON, W. R., South Kansas—Iuka, '81; S. W. Kan., Newton Ct., '84; Mt. Hope, '85; Supernumerary, '86; Lake City, '88; Nickerson, '89; Chelsea, '90; Ashland, '91; Arlington, '93; Attica, '95; Frederick, '96; Pawnee Rock, '97; Iowa—Mediapolis, '99; Cantril, '99; Bentonsport, 1900; Selma, '01; Unionville, '03; Libertyville, '04; Durham, '05.

ROOVAART, J. A., Iowa-Oskaloosa Ct., 1901; Ewart, '02; Thornburg, '04.

ROWE, THOMAS, Iowa-Blakesburg, '04; Harvey and Tracy, '05.

RUNNION, H., Iowa—Martinsburg, '60; Eureka, '63; Hamilton, '64; Superannuated, '66.

RUTLEDGE, H. I., Iowa-Koszta, '99: Tiffin, '01.

SANDERS, M. L., Iowa—Nichols, '97; student in school, '98; Evans, '99; Tracy, 1900; Pleasant Plain, '01; at school, '02; Washington Ct., '03; Marsh, '04; Hillsboro, '05.

SCHRECKENGAST, I. B., Iowa—Sweetland, '88; Theological Seminary, '91; West Liberty, '95; Washington, '99; Burlington First Ch., '05.

SCHREINER, E. L., Iowa—Crawfordsville, '65; Dodgeville, '66; Fort Madison, '68; Keokuk, First Ch., '70: Ottumwa, Main St., '73; Bloomfield, '74; Newton, '77; Brooklyn, '78; Oskaloosa Dist., '79; Wilton, '83; Centerville, '86; Newton, '89; Fairfield, '90; Albia, '95; Burlington, Grace Church, '99; Albia Ct., 1900; Melrose, '01; Conf. Evangelist, '03. SCOLES, H. B., Iowa—Unionville, '94; Lovilia, '96; Cedar, '98; Hedrick, 1900; Brighton, '02; Winfield, '03; Fort Madison, '05.

SEEDS, F., Minnesota, '94-Iowa, Selma, '03; Douds, '04; Pleasant Plain,

SHANE, B. F., Iowa—Fremont, '69; Attica. '70; Granville, '73; Montezuma, '75; Lynnville, '78; Kellogg, '80; Ladora, '83; Victor, '86; Keota, '89; Letts, '91; Cincinnati, '92; Selma, '95; Batavia, 1900; West Grove, '02; Superannuated, '04.

SHAWKEY, F. A., Supernumerary, '02.

SHIPPEN, W. C. Address not known.

SHOOK, E. J., Iowa—Exline, '93; West Grove, '96; Mt. Pleasant, West Circuit, '98; Cincinnati, 1900; Brighton, '03; Willard St., Ott., '04.

SHOOK, CHAS. R., Iowa—Batavia, '05.
SINCLAIR, J. A., Iowa—Salem, '02; Batavia, '03; Supernumerary, '04.
SMITH, A. M., Iowa—Blue Grass, '89; Sweetland, '91; Lexington, '94; Webster, '99; Ladora, '02; Birmingham, '03.

SMITH. D. C., Iowa—Webster, '64; Kirkville, '67; Victor, '70; Marengo, '72; Oskaloosa Dist., '75; Brooklyn, '79; Montezuma, '80; Bloomfield, '83; Fairfield, '86; Albia, '88; Ottumwa Dist., '93; Ottumwa. Willard St., '99; Supernumerary, '01; Conf. Evangelist, '02; Pella, '03; Superannuated, '05.

SMITH, H. N., Iowa—Millersburg, '87; Ladora, '89; Riverside, '91; Muscatine Ct., '96; Wellman, '98; Mediapolis, 99; Hedrick, '03; Ottumwa Dist., '05.

S., Iowa—Montrose, '92; Batavia, '95; West Burlington, '97; le, '98; at school, '99; Pulaski, 1900; What Cheer, '02; Monte-SMITH. U. Eddyville, zuma.

SMITH, E. J., St. Louis German, '94; student, '95; Iowa—Pulaski, '97: Bentonsport, '98; Birmingham, 1900; Ft. Madison, Santa Fe, '03.

SMITH, U. B., Iowa—Springfield, '66; Peoria, '68; Bellfontaine. '72; New Sharon, '73; Marengo, '74; Wilton, '76; Oxford, '79; Burlington, Grace Church, '80; Danville, '82; Letts, '84; West Liberty, '85; Fort Madison, First Church, '90; Williamsburg, '93; Children's Home Society, '95; Supt. Am. Home Finding Association, '99.

SMITH WALTER A Loving Lavington, '95

SMITH, WALTER A., Iowa—Lexington, '05.
SOMERVILLE, J. W., Troy, '90; S. W. Kansas—Hutchinson, '90; Kansas—Lawrence, First Ch., '95; Iowa—Oskaloosa, '9
SPAULDING, W. J. Superannuated. Mt. Pleasant.

STAFFORD, C. L., Iowa—Burlington Ct., '70; Fairfield, '71; Oskaloosa, Simpson, '73; Burlington, Grace Church, '76; Albia, '77; Keokuk, Chatham Square, '78; Washington, '81; Muscatine Dist.. '83; Ottumwa First Church, '88; President of Iowa Wesleyan University, '91; Muscatine, '99; Bloomfield, '04.

STILES, D. F., Kirkville, '02; Eldon, '05.

- STODDARD, W. P., New England Southern, '80; Iowa—Oskaloosa, First Church, 91; Mt. Pleasant, '94; Grinnell, 99; Centerville, '03.
- STRYKER, W. R., Iowa—Albia Ct., '75; Searsboro, '76; Beacon, '77; Eddyville, '78; Muscatine Ct., '80; Oxford, '83; Eanville, '85; Washington, '87; Burlington, Grace Ch., '90; Albia, '93; Marengo, '95; Wellman, '00; Supernumerary, '03.
- SWICKARD, N. A., Iowa-Mt. Pleasant, '05.
- TAYLOR, J. H., Iowa—Mt. Zion, '96; Salina, '97; Columbus City, 1900; Farmington, '02.
- TENNANT, C. L., Iowa—Farmington, '84; Cincinnati, '85; Moulton, '88; Keosauqua, '93; Fremont, '98; Grace Church, Burlington, '03.
- TENNANT, LLOYD, Iowa—Melrose, '97; Hillsboro, '99; Crawfordsville, '04.
- THORN, W. G., Iowa—Bethel, '67; Floris, '68; Melrose, '69; Unionville, '70; West Grove, '71; Farmington, '72; Montezuma, '73; Brooklyn, '75; Oskaloosa, Simpson Ch., '78; Pella, '79; Newton, '80; Centerville, '83; Keokuk, '86; Fairfield, '88; Mount Pleasant, '90; Washington, '94; Knoxville, '99; Muscatine District, '01.
- TUCKER, F. B., Iowa—Blakesburg, '96; Ottumwa, Main Street, '98; Madison, N. J., 1900; G. B. I., '01; Delta, '02; Marengo, '03.
- TUTTLE, G. M., Vermont—Glover, '69; Danville, '71; Newberry, '73; Iowa Morning Sun, '75; Burlington Circuit, '78; Winfield, '81; Mediapolis, '84; Danville, '87; Montezuma, '90; Keokuk, First, '92; Bloomfield, '95; Burlington District, '96; Newton, '02; Fremont, '03; Brighton, '04.
- WARD, J. E., Iowa-Mt. Zion, '03; Bussey, '04; Blakesburg, '05.
- WARING, E. H., Baltimore, Sinnemahoning, Pa., (supply;) Bloomsburg, Pa., '50; Frederick Ct., Md., '51; New Castle, Va., '52; Union, Va., '53; North Danville, Pa., '55; Muncy, Pa., '56; Kossuth, Iowa, '57; Des Moines, Fifth St., '59; Oskaloosa, '60; Burlington Station, '62; Keokuk, Chatham Square, '64; Ottumwa, '66; Mount Pleasant Dist., '69; Fairfield, '74; Knoxville, 76; Superannuated.
- WEESE, R., West Virginia—Raleigh Ct., 1871; Freemansburg Ct., '74; Canaan Ct., '77; Sutton Ct., '80; Knottsville Ct., '83; Iowa—Granville Ct., '85; Grinnell Ct., '87; Sonora, '88; Newton Ct., '90; Delta, '94; Bentonsport, '95; Drakeville, '97; Montrose, 1900; Barnes City, '02. Superannuated, '04.
- HN, G. H., Nebraska, '7 aski, '03; Bonaparte, '04. '71; Iowa-Farmington, 1900; Eldon, '02; Pul-WEHN.
- aski, '03; Bonaparte, '04.

  WELLS, NELSON, Iowa—Vinton Ct., '54; Pleasant Valley, '55; Farmington, '56; Pittsburg, '57; Supernumerary, '58; Burlington, '62; Brookville, '63; Chillicothe, '64; U. S. Army, '65; Grandview, '66; Richmond, '68; West Liberty, '69; Wilton Junction, '70; Washington, '72; Marshall, '73; Winfield, '74; Lexington, '75; Burlington, South Hill, '77; Mt. Pleasant Ct., '78; Quinsworth, '79; Riverside, '82; Lynnville, '83; Montezuma, '84; Superannuate, '85.

  WILLIAMS, C. F., Iowa—Mediapolis, '80; Keokuk, '80; First Ch., '82; Chaplain Penitentiary, Fort Madison, '85; Supt. Children's Home Finding Soc. Mo., '91; Williamsburg, '95; Sec. Anti-Saloon League, '96; West Ch., Burlington, 1900; Sec. Anti-Saloon League, '91; Supernumerary, '02.
- WILLITS, J. C., Iowa—Wapello, '91; Fort Madison, '94; Newton, '99; Oskaloosa District, '02.
- WILSON, C. W., Iowa—Mt. Sterling, '88; Ottumwa, Main St., '92; Martinsburg, '93; Lovilia, '98; Bussey, 1900; What Cheer, '03.
  WILSON, W. G., Iowa—Albia Ct., '70; S. Burlington, '71; Grinnell, '72; Brooklyn, '74; Theological Seminary, '75; Albia, '78; Ottumwa Dist., '80; Keokuk, Chatham Sq., '84; Muscatine, '86; Ottumwa, First Ch., '91; Oskaloosa Dist., '96; Mt. Pleasant, '02; Hedrick, '05;
- ZIMMERMAN, C. R., Iowa—Lexington, '91; North English, '94; School, '96; West Chester, '97; Victor, '98; Wayland, '02; Morning Sun, '05.

# Entered into Rest.

## MINISTERS.

Names.	Birth.	Death.	Ministry.
Ferree, Uriah Knight, Wm. W.	August 7, 1813	1846	1841 to 1846
Arrington Joel	October 20, 1817	May 28, 1847	1844 to 1847
Ockerman, Joseph	1812	August 27, 1850	1842 to 1850
Arrington, Joel Ockerman, Joseph Vail, Solomon T.	1814	July 28, 1852	1849 to 1852
Bishop, Alfred		1853	1951 to 1959
Wright Ansel Jay, John Clark, Samuel		1854	1847 to 1854
Jay, John	1819	January 1, 1859	1845 to 1859
McClasky Isaac	Tupe 11 1811	February 9, 1857	1821 to 1857
McClasky, Isaac Conrad, George W.	December 15, 1836	April 28, 1860	i857 to 1860
Hammond, J. Q. Coiner, Erasmus T. Byrkit, Wm, A. Simpson, Wm. Wayman, Manasseh B.	June 9, 1809	March 23, 1863	1847 to 1863
Byrkit Wm A	November 4 1838	June 28, 1802	1857 to 1862
Simpson, Wm.	January 22, 1812	February 22, 1864	1837 to 1864
Wayman, Manasseh B	April 9, 1836	July 2, 1864	1857 to 1864
Bussey, Amos	November 20, 1806	August 15, 1864	1837 to 1860
Worthington, David	February 13. 1815	March 1, 1866	1840 to 1867
Crelin. Henry	March 19 1820	January 1, 1867	1856 to 1866
Wayman, Manasseh B Stewart, Isaac I Bussey, Amos Worthington, David Crelin. Henry Boyles, Thomas D Hare, Michael H Elliott, Charles Bamford, George W Latham, James W Donaldson, D Elliott, John Power, John H Prather, Amos S	December 23, 1817	July 27, 1868	1845 to 1868
Elliott, Charles	May 16, 1792	January 6, 1869	1818 to 1859
Latham James W.	March 23, 1824	April 18, 1871	1854 to 1871
Donaldson, D.	March 22, 1828	July 21, 1872	1854 to 1865
Elliott, John	December 8, 1842	September 5, 1872	1868 to 1872
Prother Amos S	March 15, 1798	January 26, 1873	1821 to 1873
White James H.	August 2. 1814	July 17, 1873	1837 to 1861
Friend, George	February 21, 1818	October 21, 1873	1855 to 1873
Prather, Amos S. White James H. Friend, George. Gortner, B. W. Smith, David B. Coddington, Eli H. Hugans, John W. Ludwig, Silas T.	May 22. 1849	August 21, 1874	1872 to 1874
Coddington, Eli H.	July 1, 1837	July 30, 1877	1866 to 1872
Hugans, John W.		April 12, 1878	1873 to 1878
Harris John	June 5 1900	July 20, 1878	1877 to 1878
Wheeler, John	April 7, 1815	June 18, 1881	1855 to 1881
Holland, Benjamin	April 11, 1819	January 17, 1883	1853 to 1874
Ludwig, Silas T.  Harris, John Wheeler, John Holland, Benjamin Holtzinger, P. F. Robinson, Richard S. Woodford, L. C. Freeland, J. S.	January 6, 1816	May 20, 1883	1843 to 1885
Woodford, L. C.	May 21, 1813	September 3, 1884	1841 to 1854
Woodford, L. C. Freeland, J. S. Berry, Eben C. McDowell, Joseph Kirkpatrick, T. M. Johnson, Allen W. Allison, Robert J. Hayden, John Haynes, John Gassner, Joseph Morey, Cyrus	August 23, 1845	January 2, 1885	1871 to 1881
McDowell Joseph	July 11 1797	October 16, 1885	1876 to 1880
Kirkpatrick, T. M.	June 5, 1813	March 10 1886	1837 to 1875
Johnson, Allen W.	May 18, 1819	June 27, 1887	1843 to 1875
Havden, John	December 16, 1812	July 10 1888	1884 to 1885
Haynes, John	March 31, 1833	April 16, 1888	1859 to 1888
Gassner, Joseph	September 27, 1811	March 26, 1889	1836 to 1879
Blackney, James B.	September 24, 1827	June 18, 1890	1850 to 1890
McCutcheon, James H	July 3, 1812	November 24, 1890	1839 to 1862
Reynolds, C. P.	December 25, 1821	June 26, 1891	1853 to 1885
Morey, Cyrus  Blackney, James B.  McCutcheon, James H.  Reynolds, C. P.  Willey, G. F. W.  Hestwood, S.  Power, G. N.	August 16, 1822	June 22, 1892	1853 to 1892
Power, G. N.	March 3, 1829	October 26, 1892	1859 to 1892
Smith C O	I 1 00 1011	34 00 1000	1000 4 - 1000
McDonald, J. W.	March 13, 1834	May 31, 1893	1866 to 1893
Wilson R. G.	July 5, 1858.	June 2, 1894.	1883 to 1894
Shelton O.C.	January 7, 1855	August 17, 1894	1880 to 1892
Murphy, D.	June 27, 1833	January 29, 1895	1858 to 1895
Clark, G. H.	1828	April 16, 1895	1851 to 1878
Robertson I F	July 5, 1825	December 11, 1895	1855 to 1885
Patterson, W. E.	May 29, 1845	February 1, 1897	1871 to 1897
Burgess, John	May 2, 1821	May 6, 1897.	1843 to 1873
Corkhill T. F.	October 5, 1814	May 24, 1897	1846 to 1876
Mair, Walter F.	December 17, 1861.	December 30, 1897	1887 to 1897
Coleman, James T	September 8, 1817	January 29, 1898	1847 to 1881
Allender, Richard B	March 25, 1816	April 19, 1898	1853 to 1879
Lewis, John W.	1855	September 4, 1898.	1882 to 1898
See, Michael	February 22, 1817	November 16, 1898	1845 to 1885
McDonald, J. W. Wilson R. G. Dunn, C. S. H. Shelton, O. C. Murphy, D. Clark, G. H. Posten, Wm. Robertson, J. E. Patterson. W. E. Burgess, John Twining, E. W. Corkhill, T. E. Mair, Walter F. Coleman, James T. Allender, Richard B. Shepherd, Chas. W. Lewis, John W. See, Michael Thomas, S. H. Cowles, Wm. F. Souden, S. P.	January 9, 1830	November 16, 1898	1860 to 1888
Souden, S. P.	December 5, 1853	February 5, 1900	18\5 to 1900
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Names.	Birth.	Death.	Ministry.
Robinson, Anthony	April 15, 1810	Feb. 26, 1900	1836 to 1883
Teter, Isaac P.	May 11, 1829	March 6, 1900	1853 to 1900
Jackson, W. A.	Oct. 29, 1861	July 3, 1901	1892 to 1901
Boydson, B. M.	1851	May 13, 1902	1880 to 1902
Shearer, W. S.	December 26, 1868	February 13, 1902	1895 to 1902
Dunlavy, D. S	May 9, 1854	April 13, 1902	1881 to 1902
Haynes, James	December 27, 1826	April 21, 1902	1855 to 1902
Thompson, J. C.	July 5. 1814	Oct. 9, 1902	1853 to 1902
Stryker, A. W.	Nov. 18, 1822	Feb. 27, 1903	1850 to 1903
	June 6, 1865	June 6, 1903	1894 to 1903
Van Schoiack, W. C	Oct. 30, 1855	July 4, 1903	1888 to 1903
Light, O. P	April 27, 1828	March 28, 1904	1852 to 1884
			1856 to 1890
			1868 to 1905
Mark, Banner	August 1, 1825	June 21, 1905	1846 to 1885

### MINISTERS' WIVES.

Names.	Born.	Died
Marie La Monte Cowles Esther McDowell N. J. Rankin Hannah Elliott Shane Harriet Olive Shepherd Josephine Rice Jennie F. Busby Mary N. Power Harriet H' Gassner Lane Johnson Briggs	Innuary 4 1826	August 2 1972
Esther McDowell	November 7, 1792	November 26, 1872
N. J. Rankin	1,2102	August 8, 1873.
Hannah Elliott Shane	August 12, 1849	April 27, 1873.
Harriet Olive Shepherd	December 7, 1850	March 12, 1873.
Josephine Rice	1852	October 20, 1874.
Jennie F. Busby	December 18	August 20, 1874.
Mary N. Power	April 26, 1806	January 1, 1876.
Harriet H. Gassner	September 10, 1822	December 12, 1877.
Jane Johnson Briggs	A mm11 1 1010	June 20, 1878.
Morths A Smith	Nov. 14, 1914	August 22 1979
Clare Ehrman Patterson	April 26 1851	O toher 9 1881
Jane Johnson Briggs. Lucy Shelton. Martha A. Smith Clara Ehrman Patterson. Anna C. Bean Clark. Elmira R. Allender.	March 1, 1836	1882.
Elmira R. Allender	August 16, 1820	April 7, 1883.
Mildred Holland		October 11, 1883.
Elizabeth Clark	September 4, 1805	1884.
Emma A. Wycoff	1857	March 1 1884.
Irene Carnine	May 10, 1852	December 10, 1884.
A. B. Busby	August 27, 1857	October 1, 1886.
S. B. Swain.	August 4, 1849	March 3, 1886.
I H McCutcheon	June 9 1891	January 31,1004.
I W Lowis	April 9 1862	February 14, 1887.
C. Morey	August 15, 1821	July 28, 1888.
Mary A. Morgan Orr	July 4, 1823	September 28, 1887.
Mary A. Waring	November 16, 1828	November 15, 1887,
R. S. Robinson	July 15, 1825	July 15, 1889,
Georgina Y. Smith	October 6, 1841	October 12, 1889.
Mary F. Coxe	March 20, 1841	November 11, 1889.
Catharine Bamford	April 28, 1831	March 16, 1890.
Anna C. Bean Clark Elmira R. Allender Mildred Holland Elizabeth Clark Emma A. Wycoff Irene Carnine A. B. Busby S. B. Swain Jennie Robinson Adams J. H. McCutcheon J. W. Lewis C. Morey Mary A. Morgan Orr Mary A. Waring R. S. Robinson Georgina Y. Smith Mary F. Coxe Catharine Bamford Sarah Waring Matilda Brown Power Mary A. World Mary K. Stryker Christina S. Hoober Mary C. Kemble Lucretia E. Worthington Jane Collier Martha A. Simmons Louisa Dunlavy Mary A. Holtzinger Martha A. Schreiner Mrs. D. C. Bevan Nancy J. Smith	August 30, 1530	August 4, 1090.
Martha W Strykar	Rohruary 1 1896	Angust 9, 1030.
Christina S Hooher	August 28 1852	July 26, 1891.
Mary C. Kemble	December 26, 1836	July 30, 1891.
Lucretia E. Worthington	August 10, 1835	September 19, 1891.
Jane Collier	December 10, 1840	December 31, 1891.
Martha A. Simmons	March 1, 1832	May 4, 1892.
Louisa Dunlavy	June 1, 1854	September 27, 1892.
Mary A. Holtzinger	September 30 1820	December 20, 1892.
Martha A. Schreiner	October 19, 184,	1909
Nancy I Smith	January 16 1848	February 7 1894
Ann Harris	1808	April 7, 1894.
Catherine Friend	December 26, 1821	August 8, 1894.
Nancy Jane Light	September 12, 1833	August 4, 1895.
Rebecca M. Boyles	October 10, 1822	March 24, 1895.
Mariah H. Woodford	January 10, 1816	October 27, 1895.
Alice T. Johnson	January 1, 1852	February 25, 1896.
Mary Jane Hill	June 8. 1829	March 3, 1896
Emily Amelia Hardy	February 17, 1826	December 1, 1896.
Saran Ann Robinson	July 26, 1821	June 18, 1897.
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Gartruda Rowa Ingram	Sentember 17 1873	March 11 1899
Laura M. Tuttle	April 17, 1857	September 23, 1899.
Rebecca J. Hestwood	1824	October 30, 1899
Martha R. Boyd	February 13, 1860	February 9, 1900.
Sarah Hayden	August 7, 1816	February 26, 1901.
Harriet Thompson	May 31, 1817	November 1, 1900.
Hannah Bussey	June 23, 1811	July 13, 1901.
Cora May Dimmitt	April 1, 1876	September 9, 1902.
Zorikie A Cove	Way 49, 1835	December 15 1904
Mary A. Holtzinger. Martha A. Schreiner. Mrs. D. C. Bevan Nancy J. Smith Ann Harris Catherine Friend Nancy Jane Light. Rebecca M. Boyles Mariah H. Woodford Alice T. Johnson Mary Jane Hill Emily Amelia Hardy Sarah Ann Robinson Catherine A. Blakeney Jane E. See Gertrude Rowe Ingram Laura M. Tuttle Rebecca J. Hestwood Martha R. Boyd Sarah Hayden Harriet Thompson Hannah Bussey Cora May Dimmitt Mrs. J. S. Ferguson Zerilda A. Coxe		December 10, 1004.

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NAME OF CHARGE	BENEVOLENT COLLECTION .	PROPERTY.	CHURCH F	BAP- TISMS.	CHURCH MEMB'RS'P	Num
Burlington, First.	Pency of the control	'nt Ind'bt'ne C'h Property on Old Indel ness on C'h P for Building prov'g Churd d Parsonage	of Parsonage bable Value of Churches	o. of Bapt o. oi Bapt	of Deaths Local Pre'ch' mber of Full [embers	e r
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\*An additional amount of \$12.00 taken for I. W. U. since this table was compiled.

## Statistics No. 3---Burlington District.

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## STATISTICS NO. 2---BURLINGTON DISTRICT.

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umber	NAMES OF CHARGES.	No. of Schools	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars all Grades	Average Attendance	No. of Members Home Department	No. of Officers and Teachers Church Mem'rs or Prob'rs	No. Scholars Home Department Chu'h Mem'rs or Prob'rs	verted during year	urrent
1 2 3 4 5 6 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 26 26 27 28 28 29 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20	Burlington, First Grace West Circuit. Columbus Jct Crawfordsville Danville Ft. Madison, First Santa Fe Hillsboro Marsh Mediapolis Morning Sun Mt. Pleasant West Circuit Mt. Union New London	211143221114311134411331	200 388 299 99277 294 200 188 202 153 364 22 211 366 421 203 364 244 199 344 203 244 254 264 277 277 277 277 277 277 277 277 277 27	200 391 332 70 200 170 150 170 250 250 248 110 270 162 175 240 110 110 130 270 110 130 270 110 130 270 270 270 270 270 270 270 270 270 27	130 2280 52 150 140 123 105 103 175 200 200 150 90 80 150 90 80 170 170 170 172 143	40	177 388 28 24 699 230 200 177 200 366 222 153 362 221 153 322 219 344 322 20	85 95 115 65 175 165 60 100 50 90 30 40	19 4 8 8 30 61 20 222 122 122 8 7 7 200 20 100 2 2 355 344 3 20 7 7 46	50 257 1011 255 75 75 90 42 55 100 85 125 120 106 106 106 106 106 106 106 106 106 10
	Total	80	679	5313	3712	140	681	1690	393	2176

# KEOKUK DISTRICT.

1 Birmingham	3	30	250	178	21	30	108	6	125
2 Bloomfield	1	20				20			60
3 Bonaparte	4	46	205			40		25	115
4 Cantril	4	43			35	43		8	80
5 Centerville	1	22				22		10	80
6 Cincinnati	4	31	380	250		31	200	15	75
7 Donnellson	3	38				38	83	12	62
8 Douds	4	30	200	170		28	100	- 11	48
9 Drakeville	3	30	120	124		30		50	30
10 Eldon	2	40	225	144		38	74	16	101
11 Exline	1	7	60	45		5			25
12 Fairfield	1	49	514	297	90	49	228	20	171
13 Farmington	3	25	200	150	20	25	98	15	78
14 Floris	3	27	190	105		25	95	13	40
15 Keokuk	3	63	441	260	70	63	300		350
16 Keosaugua	1	24	215	137	120	23	175	5	100
17 Libertyville	2	26	200	150	6	26	160	34	87
18 Milton	2 2 2 1	32	265	175		32	150	25	75
19 Montrose	2	14	120	90		13	50	8	60
20 Moulton	1	25	175			25	125	10	55
21 Mt. Sterling	5	30	235	150		25		15	100
22 Mt. Zion.		40	200			30	180	20	100
23 Mystic		51	390	286		43		57	139
24 Pulaski	3 3	33	165			26		2	56
25 Salina	3	23	150	100		22			17
26 Selma	1	9	40			9			10
27 Troy	4	20	156	90		20			25
28 Unionville	3	36	195	125		35		35	74
29 West Grove	4	30	150	100		30	100	60	50
Total	84	894	6523	4282	382	846	2596	472	2358

## Statistics Nos. 1 and 4---Keokuk District.

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## Statistics No. 3---Keokuk District.

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NAME OF CHARGE.	PASTOR.	Salary	House Rent_	Total	Salary	House Rent.	Total	ciencies	nount Appor-	ount Pa	ioned	nouut Paid	pport Pastors of Elders and	llections	Other Sources	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	ch.; Sexton ht, Fuel, etc.	lay School; sson Leaves, oks, etc.
9 Drakeville 10 Eldon 11 Exline 12 Fairfield 13 Farmington 14 Floris 15 Keokuk 16 Keosauqua 17 Libertyville 18 Milton 19 Montrose 20 Moulton 21 Mt. Sterling 22 Mt. Zion 23 Mystic 24 Pulaski 25 Salina 26 Selma 27 Troy	A. M. Smith C. L. Stafford G. H. Wehn H. F. Gilbert W. P. Stoddard W. S. Moore J. W. DeYoe Frank Seeds J. A. Monkman R. Collier L. B. Jones Thomas Osborn J. H. Taylor H. E. Butler I. O. Kemble L. Ingham W. R. Rolingson D. R. Martin C. B. Hankins W. S. Gardner J. W. Carson A. J. Good Geo. Blagg W. B. Ireland W. H. Slack B. F. Shane John Davis G. W. Barber L. Hughes	\$800 1300 610 950 1300 900 600 640 500 1400 800 500 1800 600 1000 400 1000 705 450 700 450 700 450 700 700 700	200 60 120 300 120 60 75 100 	\$950 1500 670 1070 1600 1020 660 700 575 800 400 1600 920 560 2250 1025 700 1150 795 500 990 820 498 150 560 800 760	\$800 1300 610 928 1300 8755 600 560 500 700 455 1800 900 550 1000 400 705 500 785 617 400 485 664 554	60 120 300 120 60 60 75 100	\$950 1500 670 1048 1600 995 660 620 575 800 322 1600 920 515 412 1150 412 1150 550 885 787 7448 150 535 764	22 25 80 	\$63399 \$6339 \$	110 60 80 80 80 80 80 80 80 80 80 80 80 80 80	18 10 12 18 11 16 6 18 12 19 14 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11	100 188 100 122 188 111 22 188 110 77 144 111 66 100 10 44 37 710 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 1	740 1140 1728 1080 716 683 874 355 1728 990 563 2413 1111 714 459 1249 469 595 963 804 478 169 595 987	18 44 55 10 44 111 3 3 3 15 77 45 4 4 10 56 30 20 34 10 6 6 6 8 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12	20	188 444 5 100 444 111 3 133 15 5 7 7 45 24 10 5 6 6 6 6 8 12	350 1500 1200 800 1200 800 1566 755 4200 1833 600 255 3000 200 100 1300 244 200 755	\$125 60 115 80 80 80 75 62 
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## STATISTICS NO. 2-MUSCATINE DISTRICT.

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NAMES OF CHARGES.	No. of Schools	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars all Grades	Average Attendance	No. of Members Home Department	No. of Officers and Teachers Church Mem'rs or Prob'rs	No. Scholars Home Department Chu'h Mem'rs or Proba'rs	No. Me'rs S. S. Converted during year	Current Expenses.
1 Amish 2 Blue Grass 3 Kalona 4 Keota 5 Koszta 6 Ladora 7 Letts	3 3 2 1	28 30 29 10	227 82 128 200 40 120 175	132 70 85 130 30 90 130	27	39 24 30 29 8 20	50 125 60 75	3 20 5 24 12 10	\$ 74 40 64 122 20 55 88
8 Lexington 19 Lone Tree 10 Marengo 11 Muscatine First 12 Circuit	2 2 1 1 5	17 14 22 35 66	80 22 230 350 640	60 125 150 225 360	12 50	17 22 22 22 35 60	140	35 40 12 9	50 50 100 200
14 North English 15 Oxford 16 Riverside 17 Sweetland 18 Tiffin		12	130 190 115 130 300 109	100 140 75 70 50 58	14	30 12 15 30 20	52 50 59	3 5 12 13	125 54 42 64 39
29 Washington 20 Circuit 21 Webster 22 Wellman 23 West Liberty 24 West Chester 25 Williamsburg	2	27 52 30 16	1250 134 257 285 150 125 112	550 40 190 180 100 110 90	330	53 25 50 30 15 32	82 50 85 150 75 50	45 6 25 8 50 2	400 50 91 90 50 50 50
Wilton Total	1 55	25	150	125 3465	504	674	1303	342	2008

### OTTUMWA DISTRICT.

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1	Agency	1	24		92		23	75		
2	Albia	1 7	24				24		32	
3			81	270			75	150	35	
4	Batavia	2	19	135	110		16	64	9	30
5		4	25	180	155		20	50		40
6	Brighton	1	20	136	80	20	18	50 63	3	165
7	Bussey	3 2 4	36	270	190		26	60	50	150
8		2	28	90	70		25	60	25	60
	Durham	4	30		60		20	50		20
10	Eddyville	3	30		175		30		15	43
11	Fremont	2	20		90		20		5	80
12	Harvey and Tracey	3	21	250	200		21	125	15	
13	Hedrick	1	13		70		13	100	10	
	Highland	l î	10	50	35		10	20		5
15	Hocking and Avery.	1 5	22	180			20	70	6	95
16	Iconium	5 3	22	175	105		22	10	11	78
17	Kirkville	9	24	196			24	140	21	84
18	Knoxville	2	28	340	270		28	150	4	130
19	Lovilia	4	58				58	250	10	87
	Martinsburg	4	35				35	120	10	30
21	Moravia		25				25	120	2	98
99	Ottumwa First	2	40				40	325	60	180
23	Main		29	186			29	71	32	. 81
24		1	20				20	41	02	85
25	Circuit	1 2	10	110	100		10			00
		1 4			150		20	130	2	60
	Packwood	1 1 2 2 6	20	200	150					
27	Pleasant Plain		58	366			50	145	36	
28	Richland		40	300	220		40	10	5	95
29	Sigourney	1	22	180	136	55	22	15	10	81
	Total	73	094	6077	4039	115	976	1893	448	2505
	I Utai	10	094	0011	2000	110	319	1000	740	2000

# Statistics Nos. 1 and 4---Muscatine District.

Num	CHURCH BAP- MEMB'RS' P TI S M S	CHURCH PROPERTY.	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.
NAME OF CHARGE	No. of Adults Baptised No. of Children Baptised No. of Draths No. Local Pre'ch'rs Number of Full Members Number of Proba- tioners	Pres'nt Ind'bt'ness on C'h Property. Paid on Old Indebt- ednoss on C'h Pro Paid for Building & Improv'g Churc's and Parsonages. Probable Value No. of Parsonages. Probable Value	Total other Benevolent Collec's  H. (b) Supplies  H. (b) Supplies  H. (c) Supplies  Missionary Soc.  American Bible Society  Total other Benevolent Collec's  American Bible Society  Ed'l Collecty  Ed'l Collecty  Freed'n's Aid and South'n Ed. Soc.  Tract Society  Son School  Board of Church  Board of Church  Board of Church  Extension  Total  (c) Spec'l Gifts  (d) Sunday  Sol (c) Spec'l Gifts  (d) Sunday  Sol (c) Spec'l Gifts  (d) Sunday  Sol (c) Spec'l Gifts  (d) Church  Board of Church
1 Amish 2 Blue Grass 3 Kalona 4 Keota 5 Koszta 6 Ladora 7 Letts 8 Lexington 6 Lone Tree 10 Marengo 11 Muscatine F1rst 12 Circuit 13 Nichols 14 North English 15 Oxford 16 Riverside 17 Sweetland 18 Tiffin 19 Washington 19 Circuit 20 Circuit 21 Webster 22 Wellman 23 West Liberty 24 West Chester 25 Williamsburg 26 Wilton	$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	4 \$ 5500       1 \$ 1900       250       \$ 85         4 3400       1       800       50       \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$	$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
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# Statistics No. 3---Muscatine District.

Numbe		PASTOR'S SUPPORT.							PRE	s'G	SUP	Er.	Tot Pre Bi		EREN			R'ENT PEN'S
NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	Salary	House Rent.	Total	REC Salary	House Rent_	s. Total	Deficiencies			a A	Amount Paid		Re'd Collections	f'om Other Sources		-	S
3 Kalona 4 Keota 5 Koszta 6 Ladora 7 Letts 8 Lexington 6 Lone Tree 10 Marengo 11 Muscatine First 12 Circuit 13 Nichols 14 North English 15 Oxford 16 Riverside 17 Sweetland 18 Tiffin 19 Washington 20 Circuit 21 Webster 22 Wellman 23 West Liberty	George Fillmer Jos. R. Hanley C. E. Hawk John W. Pool J. R. Payne E. F. Thee C. N. Pace F. B. Tucker J. W. Potter E. C. Brooks E. A. Brinton W. J. Pyle R. D. Pool H. F. Pugh F. E. Morrison H. I. Rutledge	\$ 700 405 650 800 700 800 900 950 1450 800 570 665 1600 800 700 900 900 900 900 900 800	48 100 100 75 130 100 150 200 300 200 150 100 60 200 120 150 150 150 150 120 150 150 120 150 150 150 150 150 150 150 150 150 15	\$ 800 4533 7500 4533 7500 4533 7500 775 9300 6500 10500 1750 8000 6200 10500 8000 10500 10500 820 9000 820 900	\$ 705 391 650 800 700 818 900 455 900 1450 800 700 650 665 1600 800 906 900 906 900 800	\$100 s 48  100 100 175 130 100 150 200 200 150 60 200 150 150 150 150 150 150 150 150 150 1	8 805 459 750 900 775 948 1000 555 1050 1150 1000 482 950 725 1800 820 1056 1056 1056 1056 1056 1056 1056 105	95	60 65 50 56 80 40 65 80 141	\$ 566 600 655 500 400 655 80 400 655 80 4141 800 633 455 666 811 810 800 500 500 635 635 645 655 800 655 800 655 800 800 800 800 800 800 800 800 800 8	\$ 11 6 9 14 7	\$ 111 4 9 14 77 12 14 8 12 14 8 12 14 30 13 5 12 8 6 6 12 17 30 11 12 15 10 10 10 13	\$ 872 479 819 979 832 1016 1094 603 1127 1241 1921 1093 518 1022 858 656 825 777 1971 856 898 1151 1145 898 1151 1145 898	\$ 166 88 20 100 15 100 6 222 200 577 122 100 15 100 15 20 39 225 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20	5	\$166 88 200 100 155 155 66 222 200 507 12 100 15 100 15 100 15 100 100 100 100 10	130 271 50 200 200 225 500 300 225 500 300 107 143 127 1100 75 146 265	\$ 74 40 64 122 20 555 88 
Total		20618	3048	23666	20447	3048	23495	200	1688	1669	319	313	25475	568	5	573	4962	1984

## Statistics Nos. 1 and 4---Oskalcosa District.

NAME OF CHARGE   MEMB'RS'P   TISMS.   CHURCH PROPERTY.   BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.														
NAME OF CHARGE	Num			BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.										
2 Beacon	er	of A dick aptized of Children aptized of Deaths Local Pre'ch' mber of Full embers mber of Prob	res'nt Ind'bt'nes on C'h Property aid on Old Indeh edness on ('h praid for Building Improv'g Churc and Parsonages robable Value o. of Parsonages on of Churches	U. Emer- Dy Fund. Oth-r Be- Dient Coll b) Suppli a) Cash an's Forst sionary So ican Bible cican Bible b) Childre Fund A) Public Ed'l Col. 'n's Aid an' n Ed. Soc Ed'l Col. 'n's Church of Church of Church of Church of Spec'l G D) Spec'l G D) Sunday School otal. Otal. Otal										
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# Statistics No. 3---Oskaloosa District.

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	Total		21275	3019	24294	20693	3019	23712	609	1885	1783	282	276	25781	531	6	537 543	6 220

## STATISTICS NO. 2-OSKALOOSA DISTRICT.

Z			st	JND	AY	SCHOOLS.							
NAMES OF CHARGES.	No. of Schools	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars all Grades	Average! Attendance	No. of Members Home Department	Teachers Church Mem'rs or Prob'rs	No. Scholars Home Department Chu'h Mem'rs or Proba'rs	No. Me'rs S. S. Converted during year	urre				
1 Barnes City	3	21	170	100		16		2	\$ 60				
2 Beacon	3		280	159				35	90				
3 Brooklyn	1	22	250	130	20	22			94				
4 Cedar 5 Deep River	1	14 10	70 100	40 48		13	30	7	36				
6 Delta	$\frac{1}{2}$	22	143	120		10 19	57 55	4	26 65				
7 Ewart	$\ \tilde{2}$	20	100	80		18	00	2 8	40				
8 Grinnell	ī	30	409	265	60	30		25	180				
9 Kellogg	3	22	140	93	2	20	25	8	50				
10 Lacey		24	150	75		24	100	15	60				
10 Lacey	3	26	150	130		24	100	35					
12 Malcom	2	27	123			27		2	60				
13 Millersburg	2	16	60	50		14	35	2	35				
14 Montezuma	1	25	225	170		24			150				
15 New Sharon	1	14	125	95		14	40	8	50				
16 Newton	1	34	326	275		34	4.00	20					
17 Circuit		52	313	196	75	49	162	25	135				
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19 Pella 20 Reasoner		33	103 200	118		12 32	27	3	38				
21 Rose Hill	3	20	100	85		20	125 7	40 10	54				
22 Sonora	3	30	180			27	4	10	50				
23 Taintor		26	130	105		22	65	14	45				
24 Thornburg	3	42	200	115		40	(11)	7	100				
25 Victor		23	160	120		20		20	92				
26 What Cheer	ī	18	200	150		18	90	12	140				
Total	53	638	4858	3279	157	599	918	344	1892				

## RECAPITULATION-NO. 2.

Z	SUNDAY SCHOOLS.													
NAMES OF DISTRICTS.	No. of Schools	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars all Grades	Average Attendance	No. of Members Home Department	No. of Officers and Teachers Church Mem'rs or Prob'rs	No. Scholars Home Department Chu'h Mem'rs or Prob'rs	verted during year	Current Expenses.					
1 Burlington	58 84	679 894	5313 6523	3712 4282		681 846	1690 2596	393 472	\$2176 2358					
3 Muscatine	55	725	5731	3465		674	1303	342						
4 Oskaloosa	53	638	4858	3279	157	599	918	344	1892					
5 Ottumwa	73	834	6077	4039	115	976	1893	448	2505					
Total	323	3770	28502	18777	1298	3776	8400	1999	10939					

# Statistics Nos. 1 and 4---Ottumwa District.

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# Statistics No. 3---Ottumwa District.

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NAME OF CHARGE.	PASTOR.	Salary	House Rent.	Total	Salary	House Rent.	Total	fiicencies	Amount Appor-		nt Ap	mouut Paid	ing Elders and	Collections	Other Sources		hurch, Sexton Light, Fuel, etc.	day School; sson Leaves, oks, etc.
3 Attica 4 Batavia 5 Blakesburg 6 Brighton 7 Bussey 8 Chillicothe 9 Durham 10 Eddyville 11 Fremont 12 Harvey and Tracey 13 Hedrick 14 Highland 15 Hocking and Avery 16 Iconium 17 Kirkville 18 Knoxville 19 Lovilia 20 Martinsburg 21 Moravia 22 Ottumwa First 23 Main 24 Willard 25 Packwood 27 Pleasant Plain 28 Richland 29 Sigourney	C. S. Cooper R. A Bruce Geo. H. Kemp Thomas Rowe G. M. Tuttle J. E. Ward G. E. Monkman C. E. Fitzsimmo's W. S. Kight J. F. Barnett O. G Orcutt H. N. Smith	\$ 800 1200 850 650 636 800 600 557 800 700 1000 350 600 600 700 1200 900 1200 900 1000 500 845 975	200 120 100 150 100 120 75 120 120 150 120 250 120 250 120 250 120 250 120 120 250 120 120 120 120 120 120 120 120 120 12	\$ 950 1400 970 636 950 920 920 920 1150 350 675 675 820 1450 1020 760 920 2700 1216 1200 500 930 1100	\$ 800 1206 850 600 578 644 772 600 506 800 709 700 1000 874 700 800 2200 1000 1000 225 800 975 900	200 120 100 150 120 100 75 120 120 100 150 250 120 250 120 500 216 200	\$ 950 1400 970 578 794 872 720 581 920 58.9 800 1150 350 611 878 1450 920 2700 1216 1200 225 900 1100	50 58 156 28 51 141 	\$ 600 1022 566 644 600 655 72 600 644 500 1022 900 644 688 1700 600 866 766 7660 8660 8660 8660 8660	102 76 48	200 122 8 100 100 18 8 8 8 8 12 300 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100	\$ 100 122 22 27 7 7 88 100 8 8 7 7 9 9 7 7 7 8 8 8 100 200 9 9 8 122 300 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 1		\$ 10 10 16 3 5 9 12 15 5 5 16 20 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 20 15 5 5 20 15 5 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20		100 166 3 5 9 122 15 5 100 166 200 300 15 5 20	150 165 100 175 190 26 130 125 200 100 65 190 350 175 280 175 280 218	\$\begin{array}{c} 68 \\ 125 \\ 100 \\ 30 \\ 40 \\ 65 \\ 150 \\ 60 \\ 20 \\ 80 \\ 150 \\ 48 \\ 130 \\ 87 \\ 130 \\ 87 \\ 130 \\ 87 \\ 130 \\ 87 \\ 180 \\ 112 \\ 100 \\ 81 \end{array}
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# Recapitulation Statistics---Nos. 1 and 4.

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DISTRICTS.	Number of Proba- tioners	mber of Full embers	No. Local Pre'ch'rs	No. of Children Baptised	No. of Adults Baptised	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages.	oable Va	Paid for Building & Improv'g Churc's and Parsonages.	Paid on Old Indebt- ednoss on C'h Pro	Pres'nt Ind'bt'ness on C'h Property	(a) Church	School		Tc	Board of Church Extension	sz (a) Church	so School	t Society	Freed'n's Aid and South'n Ed. Soc	Ed'l Col	Fund Fund	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Soc.	w. (a) Cash	Hs. (b) Supplies.	Total other Be- nevolent Collec's	gency Fund
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# Treasurer's Report.--Burlington District.

NAMES OF	Missionary Society.	Church Extension	Sunday School Union	Tract Society.	Freedman's Aid & S'th,rn Education.	du (a) Pub- lic Edu- cation'l Collec'n	(b) C	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	Woman's Home Missionary Society.	Methodist Hospitals.	Total other Benevolent Collections.	Conference Claimants.	Episcopal Fund.	Recapitulation.
CHARGES.	Voucher_Cash	Voucher Cash	Voucher_ Cash	Voucher.	Voucher_ Cash	Voucher_ Cash	Voucher_Cash	Voucher.	Voucher.	Voucher.	Voucher_Cash	Voucher_Cash	Voucher_ Cash	Voucher_Cash	Total Voucher. Total Voucher. Total Voucher. Total Cash
Burlington, First Grace. West Circuit. Columbus Jct. 7 Crawfordsville 9 Ft. Madison, First Santa Fe 11 Hillsboro. 12 Marsh Morning Sun 15 Mt. Pleasant. West Circuit. 18 Mt. Union 19 New London 20 Oakville 21 Salem 22 Sperry 23 Wapello 24 Wayland 25 West Point West 26 Winfield	\$120 \$	\$ 10 \$ 50 10 18 24 21 10 11 12 11 12 12 12 13 14 12 11 12 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 4 12 4 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 10 11 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 20 20 20 20 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 29 20	\$ 2   \$	\$ 2 \$	\$ 12   10   10   18   5   12   10   16   14   12   10   15   15   15   12   22   20   7   8   6   6   28   12   28   1324   25   24   25   28   1324   25   24   25   25   25   25   25	50 49 13 40 66 12 30 23 10 20 75	\$\begin{array}{c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c	\$ 2 \$	334 	365 88 	77	389	12	\$ 13 36 16 12 8 9 12 8 9 12 12 12 12 12 12 10 7 7 8 8 10 11 8 9 10 11 8 9 14 \$300	\$ 192   \$ 21 \$ 213           575   131         993   1568           136   205   260         2           260   260         243           187   36   223         243           187   36   223         224           205   242   244         274           213   61   274         213   183           279   339   618         820   725   1545   664           225   9   244         479   125   604           371   51   322   85   154   5154         85   162   24   186           154   25   179   126   73   199   241         24   237   118   44   462   400   237   637           6332   3883   10215         10215

### Treasurer's Report---Keokuk District.

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# Treasurer's Report.--Muscatine District.

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# Treasurer's Report---Oskaloosa District.

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# Treasurer's Report.--Ottumwa District.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	Missionary Society.	Church Extension	Sunday School Union	Tract Society.	Freedman's Aid & S'th,rn Education.	du (a) Public Edu- cation'l	n. (b) Chil- ordren's Fund.	American Bible Society	Foreign Missionary Society.	Woman's Home Missionary Society.	Methodist Hospitals.	Total other Benevolent Collections.	Conference Claimants.	Episcopal Fund.	Recapitulation.
CHARGES.	Voucher_Cash	Voucher_Cash	Voucher_Cash	Voucher_Cash	Voucher_ Cash	Voucher_ Cash	Voucher_Cash	Voucher_Cash	Cash	Voucher.	Voucher_ Cash	Voucher Cash	Voucher_Cash	Voucher_ Cash	Total Voucher- Tota Voucher- Tota Voucher- Total Cash
Agency 2 Albia 3 Attica 4 Batavia 5 Blakesburg 6 Brighton 7 Bussey 8 Chillicothe 9 Durham 10 Eddyville 11 Fremont 12 Harvey and Tracey 13 Hedrick 14 Highland 15 Hocking and Aver 16 Iconium 17 Kirkville 18 Knoxville 19 Lovilia 20 Martinsburg 21 Moravia 22 Ottumwa First Main Willard Circuit Packwood 27 Pleasant Plain 28 Richland 29 Sigourney Total	60	\$ 4 11 6 2 15 2 4 13 	\$ 1 	\$ 1 1 1 2 2 4 4 2 2 1 2 2 1 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 3 9	\$ 5 \  \  \  \  \  \  \  \  \  \  \  \  \	28 30 5 2 4 8 7 15 20 7 15 70 56 28	\$ \$ 12 7 7 5 8 5 5 8 6 6 6 4 16 7 5 11 7 93 36	1 2 2 1 1 1 1 2 1 1 3 3 5 5 2 2 2 2 1 2 2 1 2 2 1 2 2 1 2 2 1 3 3 3 5 5 2 2 2 2 1 2 2 1 2 2 1 3 3 3 5 5 2 2 2 2 1 2 2 1 2 2 1 3 3 3 5 5 2 2 2 2 1 2 2 1 2 2 1 3 3 3 5 5 2 2 2 2 1 2 2 1 2 2 1 3 3 3 5 5 2 2 2 2 1 2 2 1 2 2 1 3 3 3 5 5 2 2 2 2 1 2 2 1 3 3 3 5 5 2 2 2 2 1 2 2 1 2 2 1 3 3 3 5 5 2 2 2 2 1 2 2 1 3 3 3 5 5 2 2 2 2 1 3 3 3 5 5 2 2 2 2 1 3 3 3 5 5 2 2 2 2 1 3 3 3 5 5 2 2 2 2 3 3 3 5 5 2 2 2 2 3 3 3 5 5 2 2 2 2	10 10	72 \$ . \$		\$ 13   31   35   2   2   57   13   57   185   16   181   30   2 491	3 5 9 10 15 5 5 16 20 5 10 10 10 30 15 	\$ 10 20 12 2 7 8 10 8 7 9 7 8 8 8 10 20 9 10 20 10 10 10 20 12 20 9 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10	\$ 157 \$ 97 \$ 254   248 137   160 31   40 26 66   90 35   142   7   149   100   165   47   47   68   16   190   28   180   180   180   160   126   180   126   180   126   180   126   180   126   126   136   74   136   251   157   13   170   77   211   54   886   721   138   238   376   8   117   1246   125   138   238   376   8   117   1246   125   167   69   126   127   128   129   120

# Treasurer's Report.

COLLECTIONS.	CASI	ı.	vouch	ER	TOTAL	LS.	TO WHOM PAID.
Missions				00	\$18176	00	Jennings & Graham.
Special to T. B. Owen, China, Mt. Union	. 75	00			75	00	6.6
"Station Plan, D. G. Abbott, India, Ewart_" West	. 15				15	00	66
Liberty	20	00			20	00	6.6
"Bishop Oldham's work, Pierce RatliffStation Plan, D. G. Abbott, Oskaloosa	100	00			100		
Epworth League	80	00			80	00	6.6
Church Extension	1341			00			
Sunday School Union							
Tract Society	262						
Freedman's Aid and S. E. Society	1296						
Iowa Wesleyan University	3665						Elmer E. Lymer.
Children's Day Fund						00	Jennings & Graham.
American Bible Society	268				291	00	"
Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	59					00	Miss Laura Eitman.
Special W. F. M. S., Alta Newby, Clay Grove	20	00				00	66
Special W. F. M. S., Alta Newby, Clay Grove  Gift, J. S. Patten			1000				
Woman's Home Missionary Society	24	00	3972				Mrs. L. F. Owens.
Permanent Fund	11	00				00	R L. Patterson.
Special Conf. Claim., Kate Jackson	2	00			2	00	Self.
Iowa Methodist Hospital			314	00			Iowa Meth. Hospital.
Conference Claimants	3681	00				00	J. C. Kendrick
Episcopal Fund	1409			00			Jennings & Graham.
Total Other Collections			1722	00	1722	00	Variously distributed.
Odd Cents from Pastors' Reports	1	58				58	Expense account.
Totals	29100	58	15964	00	45064	58	

T, S. POOL. Treasurer.

# Pastoral Support from Churches on Circuits.

# STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 5. BURLINGTON DISTRICT.

Circuit and Pastor.		Appo		Pai	d.	Defic.
Ainsworth	Ainsworth	\$675	00	\$675	00	\$
W. N. Potter.	Cotter	125	00	125	00	
Burlington Circuit	Asbury	225	00	225	00	
J. A. Glendining.	Shilo	160	00	160	00	
	Spring Grove	155	00	155	00	
	Augusta	105	00	105	00	
	Union	80	00	80	00	
Columbus Junction	Columbus Junction	500	00	500		
J. C. Kendrick	Columbus City	200	00	200	00	
	Fredonia	100	00	100	00	
Orawfordsville	Crawfordsville :	467	00	467	00	
E. L Tennant.	Wyman	233	00	233	00	
Danville	Danville	425	00	425	00	
A. M. Mahaffie.	Long Creek	375	00	375	00	
Hillsboro	Hillsboro	200	00	207	00	
J. P. Cummins.	Stockport	200	00	219	00	
	StockportBig Mound	125	00	125	00	
	Cedar	75	00	75	00	
Marsh	Marsh	225	00	225	00	
M. L. Sanders.	Yarmouth	225		225	00	
iii Bi bullders.	Prairie Chapel	175	_	180		
Mt. Pleasant Circuit	Highland.	100		100	00	
J. S. Decker.	Trenton	100		100		
J. D. Decker.	Glasgow	155		170		
Mt. Pleasant West	Prairie Gem	196		196		
T. S. Pool.		164		164		
1. 6. FOOL	Wesley	236		236		
	Beulah	204		205		1
Mt IInion	Mt Union	400		400		
Mt. Union	Mt. Union	225		200		25
H. T. Robinson.	Canaan	225				1
2 - 1	Trinity		-	225	_	
Oakville	Northfield	150		150		
E. A. Bentzinger.	Huron -	100	-	100		
	Toolsboro	200	_	204		
	Oakville	110		110		
Salem	Salem	300		300		
G. B. Hankins.	Donaldson	185	_	185		
	Cottonwood	115		115		
	Wesley	100		100	_	
Sperry	SperryFranklin Mills	220		196		24
A. L. Jordan.	Franklin Mills		00		00	
	Tamatown	170		160		10
	Sandridge		00		00	
	Howe Chapel		00		00	14
Wapello	Wapello	700	00	700	00	
M. E. Reusch.	Bethel	140	00	140		
Wayland	Wayland	375	00	375	00	
C. R. Zimmerman.	Finley.		00	225		
	Center	100		100		
West Point	West Point		00		00	1
C. W. Cochran.	Pitman Chapel			220		
C. W. COCHIGH.	Clay Grove		-	220		
	Pleasant Ridge		55		00	

### KEOKUK DISTRICT.

Circuit and Pastor.	Appointments.	Appor'd	Paid.	Defi.
Birmingham	Birmingham	\$550 00	\$550 00	\$
A. M. Smith.	Bethel		128 00	
	Union	125 00	125 00	
Bonaparte	Bonaparte	250 00	250 00	
G. H. Webn.	Utica	200 00	200 00	
	Bentonsport	80 00	80 00	
	Vernon	80 00	80 00	
Cantril	Cantril	460 00	460 00	
H. F. Gilbert	Lebanon	265 00	250 00	15 00
	Home Prairie	105 00	97 00	7 00
	Upton	105 00	105 00	
Cincinnati	Cincinnati	263 00	238 00	25 00
W. S. Moore.	Wesley	283 00	283 00	
	Numa	200 00		
	Simpson	154 00		
Donnellson	Donnellson	285 00	1	
J. W. DeYoe.	Embury	255 00		
J. W. Deloc.	Charleston	60 00	60 00	
Drakeville		235 00		
J. A. Monkman		215 00	215 00	
J. A. Monkman.	Elm Grove	50 00	50 00	
Fldon		450 00	450 00	
Eldon		250 00	250 00	
R. Collier.	Ashland		1	
Exline	Exline	210 00	210 00	22 00
J. B. Jones.	Zoar	63 00	41 00	
	Salem	65 00	34 00	31 00
	Sharon	62 00	37 00	25 00
Farmington		550 00	550 00	
J. H. Taylor.	Prairie Chapel	150 00	150 00	
	Croton	100 00	100 00	
Floris		160 00	160 00	
H. E. Butler.	Locust Grove	200 100	155 00	45 00
	Belknap	140 00	140 00	
Libertyville		465 00	415 00	50 00
W. R Rolingson	Mt. Zion	135 00	135 00	
Milton		885 00	885 00	
D. R. Martin.	Mt. Zion	115 00	115 00	
Montrose		200 00	200 00	
C. B. Hankins.	New Boston	200 00	200 00	
Mt. Sterling		140 00	140 00	
J. W. Carsou.	Center Chapel	200 00	200 00	
o. w. oursou.	Story Chapel	150 00	150 00	
	Pittsburg	130 00	130 00	
	Bethel	85 00	85 00	
Mt. Zion	20. 521	75 00	90 00	
A. J. Good.	Miller's Chapel	56 00	56 00	
11. U. GOOG.	Winchester	145 00	180 00	
		74 00	74 00	
	White Chapel		100 00	
	Kilbourn	95 00	100 00	

### KEOKUK DISTRICT.

Circuit and Pastor.	Appointments.	Appor	'd	Paid.	Defic
Mystic	Jerome	\$145	00	\$145 00	
Geo. Blagg.	Plano	140 0	00	125 00	15 00
	Brazil	115 (	00	115 00	
	Mystle	400 0	00	400 00	
Pulaski	Pulaski	405 (	00	345 00	60 00
W. B. Ireland.	Stiles		00	176 00	
.,,,	Round Grove	119 (	00	96 00	23 00
Salina		23 (	00	26 00	
W. H. Slack.	Richwood	100 0	00	82 00	18 00
	Parsonville	125 (	00	126 00	
	Bethesda	125 (	00	130 00	
Selma	Selma	175 (	00	175 00	
B. F. Shane.					
Troy	Troy	140 0	00	115 00	25 00
John Davis.	Bethel	130 0	00	130 00	
	Wesley	95 (	00	95 00	
	Oak Hill	70 0	00	70 00	
	Star	75 (	00	75 00	
Unionville	Unionville	356 0	00	356 00	
G. W. Barber	Beulah	171 (	00	157 00	14 00
	Salem	67 (	00	45 00	22 00
	Udell	106 (	00	106 00	
West Grove	West Grove	147 (	00	102 00	45 00
L. Hughes.	Pella	178 (	00	178 00	
3	Wesley	250 (	00	192 00	58 00
	Bethel	157 (	00	144 00	13 00
	Zion	56 (	00	6 00	50 00

### MUSCATINE DISTRICT.

Amish	Amish	\$252	00	\$252	00	\$
H. C. Millice.	Bethel	106	00	106	00	
	Franklin	187	00	192	00	
	Champion Hill	222	00	222		
Blue Grass		100				
C. F. Williams.	Montpelier	85				19 00
	Buffalo	135		140		
	Cross Roads	85				
Kalona	Kalona	402				
Geo. Filmer.	Hummer	130				
_	Sharon	118				
Keota		750		750		
Jos. R. Hanley.	Harper	50		1		
Koszta		450		467		
C. E. Hawk.	Walnut	150		1		18 00
	No. 4 School House	100		100		
Ladora	Ladora	700		700		
John W. Pool.	Zion	100		118		
Letts	Letts	700		700		
I D Downo	Grandview	200		200		
Lexington	Lexington	350		325	00	
Ernest F. Thee.	Pilotsburg	100		70	00	
	Nira	100	00	60	00	40 00

ing date of February 6th, 1832, written to Beverly Waugh, John Emory, Nathan Bangs, and ....., besides other early and valuable papers. I gathered sufficient documentary and testamentary evidence prior to the earliest preserved records of the institution, which dated back to 1845, to establish beyond a doubt that the earliest organization of the institution that has grown into Iowa Wesleyan University was effected in 1842, if not indeed in 1841. So well convinced was your Board of Trustees of the correctness of these dates that at the recent Commencement meeting they adopted 1842 as Founders' year, and the last Thursday in October as Founders' Day, to be annually celebrated at the University by its promoters, patrons and friends. The original Record Book, which contains the Minutes of the Trustees' meetings as early as 1845, has lost its first 17 pages, doubtless went back to these earlier meetings in 1843 and probably 1842. The succession of record from 1845 is complete, and all these records and documents are put away in a fire-proof safe, together with the records and documents of this Conference, deposited with me under your order a year ago by the Conference Secretary. The Historic Sketch and Alumni Record, above referred to, contains a list of Trustees, Visitors, faculties and officials from the beginning. In the nature of the case it is essentially full of errors, but after having done our best, conscious of the multitude of these, Mr. Williams and I decided to publish it, that we might later be able to publish a more accurate one, after we should have heard from you and others, with such manuscript corrections as would enable us to re-check our work and approach the highest possible degree of accuracy. I am very glad to deposit a copy of this Record with the Conference Secretary, to be preserved as a part of the literature of this Conference.

And now I am at the close of four and a third years in this office. I have hoped, prayed, toiled, and striven for much, no little of which has been achieved through your brotherly coöperation, gracious courtesy, unfailing sympathy and loving sacrifice. My service has been your for the Kingdom of Christ. My heart is yours because I love you. I girdle myself with you for the completion of the things begun and the undertaking of the larger things to be begun when these unfinished things, now in progress, shall have been completed.

Respectfully submitted,

President.

#### EPWORTH LEAGUE.

There is to some extent a missing of the mark, a yielding to the tendency to decline in many of our Epworth Leagues. It comes, we believe, not from an improper constitution or insufficient organization, but rather from putting the emphasis in the wrong place. It comes from a de-

parture from those original ideals which possessed the founders of this vital part of the Church, those ideals with respect to the all-around development of the young life. It comes from a letting-go of essentials, with the substitution of what appears to be more attractive, more entertaining. It comes from a neglect or mere mechanical observance of the spiritual hour of meeting, with the social hour pushed to the front. So that the League has, in some cases, degenerated into little more than a social club, an evening's entertainment, to the utter disregard of its deeper spiritual meaning.

At this crucial period, as never before, every pastor should exercise careful and persistent oversight in the plans and work of the society in his charge, not in a domineering fashion, but in an encouraging, helpful, trotherly, winsome way which commands the respect of the young people

and assures them of his loving interest in their welfare.

The proper place for emphasis, for the direction of energy, for the application of our very best endeavors is, we think, in the Department of Spiritual Work. It is imperative that indifference, thoughtlessness, heartlessness, and lethargy in the department be shaken off and every agency that awakens, quickens, fosters and develops strong and clean Christian character in young men and women be brought into action. We are persuaded that the following activities, when rightly presented to the young people and adopted by them, will conspicuously contribute to the healthful and normal life of the League and will greatly aid in shaping the individual life:—

I.—THE "MORNING WATCH,"—a silent but potent factor in mould-.

ing incorrupt and consistent Christians.

II.—CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP,—by which business and religion are properly correlated and harmoniously adjusted the one with the other, as well as the kingdom of God hastily extended.

III.—INDIVIDUAL SOUL-WINNING,—heart touching heart and life

touching life as nothing else can, the results are gratifying.

IV.—THE "STATION PLAN,"—which arouses missionary enthusiasm and widens the knowledge of the vast extent and limitless possibilities of the Church of Christ.

V.—The encouragement of an uncompromising stand against "such diversions as cannot be taken in the name of the Lord Jesus," against amusements which tend to dwarf, benumb, impoverish, starve, or destroy the spiritual nature. Such a decision on the part of its members is the chief bulwark of the Epworth League.

VI.—An effort to increase intelligence among the Leaguers regarding Methodism, its organization, rules, polity, government, and history. The product of such effort wisely directed will be broad and well-informed Methodists, lovers of their Church and promoters of the interests of the great field at large.

#### EVANGELIZATION.

The Committee on Evangelization again calls the attention of the Conference to the supreme importance of this phase of a minister's work. Our Master, in His teaching and example, calls us to the work of soulsaving.

While we rejoice in the work that is being done, we are convinced that the results are not equal to the provisions of Divine Grace nor the opportunities before the Church.

We believe, that the times in which we live are favorable to compromise in the things of the kingdom; that church membership does not always signify Christian experience; that the distinction between the church and the world is not sufficiently marked; and that we have come to so emphasize certain other results of ministerial and church activity, that we forget the passion of the Apostle who became all things to all men that he might save some.

Your committee believes that the best way to clear up church debts, increase the efficiency of the Sunday Schools, obtain the benevolence in full, maintain a church free from snarls and divisions, and secure the sanctification of believers, is to give ourselves with persistent energy to the work of sonl-saving.

Some of our churches are disturbed by an ill-balanced doctrine of holiness, advocated by ontside parties responsible to no particular church. Often our most spiritually minded people are lead into extravagance which destroy their usefulness. A ministry whose most marked characteristic is spirituality is our best protection against these conditions. Brethren, if we are to retain our most spiritual people, we must satisfy their highest spiritual aspirations by our spiritual ministries.

We rejoice in the rising tide of evangelism in other denominations and express the hope that Methodism will ever lead us an evangelistic church.

We suggest renewed consecration to Jesus Christ that we may have winsome lives; increased attention to the study of the Bible and the presentation of great Bible themes; greater wisdom and fidelity in dealing with children; that we abate none of our efforts during the revival season but that we increase our efforts at personal evangelism.

We believe that for aggressive, organized effort, the district must be the unit. We call attention to the efficient organization of Oskaloosa District, and express the conviction that this method earnestly worked in the fall of the year will do much toward saving our country churches that have been weakened in building up strong churches in our cities and towns.

#### EPISCOPAL FUND.

The committee examined the statistical reports and find the following charges delinquent on the Episcopal Fund: Burlington West, Burlington District, \$2.00; Exline, Keokuk District, \$3.00; Nichols, \$2.00, Ottumwa, Ct. Ottumwa District, \$2.00; Delta, Oskaloosa District, nothing paid. Since all these charges reported delinquent, have been served by probationers or supplies; and, in order to avoid delinquencies we recommend that the Presiding Elders call the attention of beginners to this claim.

### FREEDMAN'S AID AND SOUTHERN EDUCATION.

Your committee is gratified with the work that has been accomplished by this society.

Its object is the uplifting of the people of the south and the solution

of the race problem.

Its work is essentially moral and religious. There were 800 conversions in the schools alone last year. 12,000 colored teachers have been prepared in southern schools as Christian educators.

We urge pastors to send in names of all those giving \$1.00 or more to this society, that they may receive the Christian Educator for one year, a magazine full of facts and incidents.

Tracts and leaflets are issued from time to time and will be sent free upon request.

We recommend that every church observe Lincoln Birthday Sunday.

The apportionment for the Iowa Conference for the coming year is \$3,000. Let us raise the apportionment in full and pray God's blessing upon the work of this society.

#### INSURANCE.

We, the committee on church insurance, note with pride the increase of business accomplished by the National Mutual Church Insurance Company during the year ending Jan 1st, 1905; and also the splendid surplus of \$245,749.29 it has on hand to protect our churches and parsonages against loss by fire. We most heartily recommend it to our church officials as safe and economical.

We also earnestly recommend that our pastors call the attention of their official members to the fact that the National Mutual Insurance Company is an official organization of the Methodist Episcopal church and is thereby entitled to their patronage.

#### PERIODICAL ACCOUNTS.

We, your committee, are glad to report that the Iowa Conference has sustained her reputation for promptness in setling their accounts with the

Book Concern. Every member present at conference have adjusted their claims satisfactorily with the representative, and showing a larger increase of collections than the previous year.

#### SABBATH OBSERVANCE.

We, as a nation, are confronted by the evils of Sabbath desecration.

The tendencies of corporations and pleasure seekers, encouraged by the example of many of our church people, have led to a disregard for the sacredness of the Sabbath until it has become appalling.

We would most earnestly urge them to awake to the needs of the hour. We acknowledge with pleasure the work accomplished by the "Sunday League of America," and are ready to give it our hearty coöperation in every emergency.

We also urge that steps be taken toward such legal enactment as shall prohibit Sunday base ball and Sunday excursions which are a menace to any community.

#### STATE OF THE COUNTRY.

With a keen sense of gratitude to Almighty God we acknowledge His wisdom and power vouchsafed unto our Chief Executive and unto our people, whereby we were enabled to secure and enjoy our unprecedented state of prosperity and peace.

We find pleasure and pride in the fact of the initiative taken by our President toward the bringing about the cessation of the cruel war in the far East, and we rejoice in the consequent treaty of peace signed within our borders.

We rejoice that capitalists and labor organizations are coming more and more to see the folly of strikes and lock-outs and are resorting instead to peaceful methods in the settlements of their differences, and we are hopeful that President Roosevelt's expressed determination to secure a square deal for every man will be emulated by all men and thus be removed the constantly threatening disaffection between capital and labor.

We are gratified with the recent numerous reform movements successfully introduced and realized by many of our chief magistrates in nations, states and cities. And we pledge to all such movements our loyal support.

We would exhort each and every citizen to seriously consider that he is part sovereign of our great country and hence proportionately responsible for its moral and material welfare.

We charge all Christians to labor unceasingly for the overthrowing cf evil and for the establishing of righteousness and to fear not for it is our Father's good pleasure to give us the Kingdom.

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION.

1.-We commend to our people for use in our Sunday Schools, the whole series of our school publications, and strongly disapprove of the substitutes of any other publication for our own. We congratulate the church on the enlargement and improvement of the Sunday School Journal. and we heartily approve the proposition of the editor that its circulation should be greatly extended by its introduction so far as possible into all

our families, as a stimulus and help to the study of the Bible.

2.—We are in hearty sympathy with Dr. McFarland's plan for a more thorough training of teachers of our Sunday Schools, and we recommend that the pastors use their utmost endeavors to procure for their Sunday Schools, the Teachers' Library recommended by him, in order that the teachers may have available the best literature relating to their work. And we are gratified with the announcement that arrangements have been made for an advanced course of Bible Study, in which the Methodist Episcopal church, south, and the Methodist church of Canada are to join with our ewn church

3.—We recommend that in our Sunday Schools a special offering may be taken for the Sunday School Union.

4.—In general, we urge an increased interest and intelligent zeal in all Sunday School work, proceeding always upon the assumption that our children are God's children, and that our primary duty is not to rescue them, but to instruct them and train them in knowledge and virtue.

5.-We recommend that Rev. I. O. Kemble be appointed Sunday School Secretary of this conference to cooperate with the Secretary of the Sunday School Union in all matters relating to Sunday School interests.

#### TRACTS.

1.—The Tract Society is an agency of great usefulness, testimony coming from all parts of the world concerning its great helpfulness as to its actual work. The resources of the society are inadequate to meet but a fraction of the demands for help coming from home and foreign fields.

2.-We believe that the Tract Society should be so strengthened as to enable it to cooperate more efficiently in the work of city evangelization

which is of such urgent importance.

3.-We are convinced also that the Tract may be made an agency of much greater usefulness than it has been thus far in all our churches, and in accordance with the provisions of the Society we urge that all pastors send for carefully selected tracts to one-half the amount their charges centribute to this cause, and beyond that purchase as they are able, for distribution in their various charges.

4.-We therefore recommend (I) That every pastor shall send for a copy of the report of the Tract Society and for a catalogue of its publications, which may be had without cost, and inform himself with regard to the work that is being done by the society. (2) That in all our churches the collection for this cause be taken and an earnest effort be made to

largely increase the contributions to the society.

#### TEMPERANCE.

Your committee on Temperance beg leave to report as follows:-

1st.—We rejoice in the continual activity and agitation against the rum traffic and in favor of temperance and righteousness, and in many encouraging signs that while complete victory may yet be some distance in the future, yet that we are steadily gaining ground with the determination to push the battle until the victory is complete.

2d.—We rejoice, also, that as never before the temperance forces and organizations of all kinds are coming together and are working more

unitedly.

3d.—While as a church, we should stand unflinchingly by the radical and positive utterances and lines of activity that have been historic with us as a denomination, modifying in no sense our utterances, which have given forth no uncertain sound and abating not in the least, our zeal and the methods of activity which have always kept forces on the firing line, yet, we most heartily commend the new organization effected by the last General Conference, known as The Temperance Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church, the aim of which we can truly express in the selection from the constitution as follows:—

"In order to make more effectual the efforts of the Church to create public sentiment and crystalize the same into successful opposition to the organized traffic in intoxicating liquors, the General Conference hereby anthorizes the organization of the Temperance Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

"The object of this Society is to promote voluntary total abstinence from all intoxicants and narcotics by the members of the Church, Sunday School and Epworth League, and the speedy enactment of statutory and constitutional laws prohibiting the traffic in alcoholic liquors.

"We recommend in cases, where united effort of Churches of different denominations is necessary to accomplish important legislation or law enforcement which tend to the ultimate extinction of the saloon, that the temperance societies of the Methodist Episcopal Church and the District and Quarterly Conference temperance committees shall coöperate, vigorously and effectively with similar committees from other church and denominational bodies, through the medium of such agency as may be constituted for this purpose, provided such agency is Christian in character; and further recommend that any approved agency already established which complies with this condition shall be ntilized rather than cause unfortunate division by multiplying coöperative agencies.—State Journal, 1904."

4th.—We pledge ourselves as members of the Conference to faithfully carry out the instruction of our book of Discipline on the subject of temperance, and especially to preach on the subject as demanded by the same.

5th.—We express our interest in, and sympathy with the temperance forces of Albia and Monroe county, led by the pastors of this and the other churches of the city and county in their fight for temperance and against the saloon.

We are convinced that the effort of the rum power of Albia, and Monroe county to secure by tricks and questionable schemes, the requisite number of petitioners for the establishing of the mulct saloon needs be watched with vigilence and opposed by united effort.

6th.—We nominate for officers of the Iowa Conference Temperance Society as follows:—President, J. R. Payne; Secretary, W. A. Longnecker;

Treasurer, D. C. Bevan.

7th.—We heartily favor the Hepburn-Dolliver bill now pending before Congress and pray that our congressmen will do all in their power to secure speedily its passage and that a copy of this resolution be sent to each of our congressmen.

8th.—We recommend and request the appointment of C. S. Cooper as agent of the Iowa Conference Temperance Society.

#### WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Whereas, the W. F. M. S. has been and is a very efficient and important agency for the uplifting of humanity and the advancement of Christ's Kingdom in the foreign lands. Resolved, That we, the members of the Iowa Conference, do greatly appreciate the work of this society and pledge it our heartfelt support. We note with satisfaction that two splendid young women have gone out this year, viz: Miss Alta Newby to Nanchang, China, and Miss Francis Hitchcock to Chungking, China.

Inasmuch also as Mrs. Mary C. Ninde, one of the most useful and distinguished members of this society, lost her life by fire at Littleton's Commons, Mass., Saturday night, Sept 9th, we also resolve that we deplore the sad calamity and do tender, herein, our sincere sympathy to her near friends, believing that her tragic death only preceded her glad reception into the Eternal Home.

### VIII. -

### MISCELLANEOUS REPORTS.

#### DEACONESS BOARD.

The following nominations and recommendations are respectfully submitted:-

Ist—That Rev. R. L. Patterson, J. E. Newsom and Mrs. L. Ingham oe elected to fill class three on the board.

2d-That the licenses of Miss Mary C. Jackson and Miss Wilhelmina Wirtz be approved and their work heartily commended.

3d-That special attention be called to the most excellent work of Bidwell Deaconess Home, Des Moines, and that we urge our young women to take advantage of its facilities for training in all Christian work.

4th-The following is the report of Graham Protestant Hospital for the year 1904-5:--

Statement of Work Done at Graham Hospital, Aug. 31, 1904, to Aug. 31, 1905.

No. of Surgical Operations
No. of Medical Cases
No. of Obstetrical Cases
No. of Births
No. of Deaths 8
No. of Ministers Treated
No. of Ministers' Wives Treated
No. of Deaconesses
No. of Charity Cases
No. of Nurses enrolled9
No. of Nurses completing course
Money received from patients and private nursing\$4,552.80
From W. H. M. S. Iowa Conf., cash
Food supplies from Aux. and private parties, value
Amount on hand last report
\$+,961,66
Amount paid out since last report\$4,700.95
Balance on hand
Outstanding accounts considered good
Total cash and outstanding accounts\$, 918,66
5th—They also recommend that:—Whereas, All the other conferences
in Iowa have some benevolent institution within their bounds, and Wilhere-
as, the property known as Graham Protestant Hospital, located in Kepkuk,

Iowa, with buildings and all furnishings, has been deeded free of debt to

the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and placed under the care of the W. H. M. S. of the Iowa Conference, and comes under the supervision of the Deaconess Board of our Conference, and Whereas, this hospital has had phenomenal success in the past four years under deaconess management, thus far being self-supporting; therefore be it resolved, That we pledge our influence and financial aid, and will welcome its representative to our churches and commend it to the patronage of our people.

### GARRETT BIBLICAL INSTITUTE.

To the Bishop and Members of the Iowa Annual Conference. We, your Visitors to Garrett Biblical Institute, herewith submit our report.

We heartily concur in the recommendations unanimously agreed upon by the Board of Conference Visitors, representing twenty-six Annual Conferences, as published in the Northwestern Christian Advocate of July 26th, 1905.

The seminary will celebrate in May, 1906, the close of its fiftieth year. The trustees and faculty propose to celebrate this event with suitable ceremonies and we urge our conference to join with others in making

this a noteworthy jubilee.

The faculty of the school is composed of Christian scholars who both by precept and example inspire the students to faithful and aggressive evangelism, while teaching them to investigate and interpret intelligently and thoroughly the gospel message. We join cordially in commending Garrett Biblical Institute to every young man who, called of God to the Christian ministry, would study to be approved of Him as a workman that needeth not to be ashamed. And we bespeak for the school the prayers, and the generous support of our Methodist people. Signed,

Conference Visitors.

#### HOSPITALS.

It is with pleasure that your committee is able to report commendable work done during the year by both the Iowa Methodist and the Graham Protestant Hospitals.

At Des Moines a splendid new building is in process of erection, which will add greatly to the capacity and facilities of that splendid institution.

At Keokuk a most excellent record has been made during the past year. Plans are being laid for the enlargement and improvement of that already prosperous institution.

Your committee commends these institutions to the consideration and support of the Conference.

#### PERMANENT FUND.

Report of the Financial Secretary of the Permanent Fund for Conference Claimants for the year ending Sept. 6th, 1905.

Dear Fathers and Brethren:—I have endeavored faithfully to serve the interest of your fund, and have during the year visited 44 charges, where, with the more or less hearty cooperation of the pastors, the interest has been presented, and a canvass made:—

Total subscriptions taken\$	7.390.71
Cash received on subscriptions	1,693.08

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Balance	\$5,697.63
CASH REPORT:— Cash received on subscriptions	\$ 1,693.08
Received on old subscriptions	562.00
Total	\$2,255.08 1.333.22
Cash balance	921.86
OUTSTANDING SUBSCRIPTIONS:	
Old subscriptions	\$ 2.347.55
Subscriptions of '04 and '05	\$8,045.18

At their first meeting this Conference year the Board of Stewards and Trustces voted unanimously to change the name of the office of your representative in the field from that of Agent to Finaucial Secretary, and it was so published in the issue of the Articles of Incorporation. With the carnest prayer that God may abundantly bless this important interest of our church, and turn the hearts of the people toward it, this report is submitted.

R. L. PATTERSON.

#### PRESENT STATUS OF PERMANENT FUND.

In hands of Ex. Treas. Geo	. Haw, 6%		31.672.45
Loan to Jones, 6%			1,000,00
Temporary loan to C. Hav	v. 6%		593.75
Cash in bank			
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Total		¢.	22 400 12

Respectfully submitted, CHRIS. HAW, Treasurer.

#### SALARY OF DR. COXE.

Report of the Committee appointed to receive money collected to pay the salary of Dr. Coxe as agent of the permanent fund is hereby submitted:—

					salary\$1,000.00
Dr.	to	Dr.	Coxe	011	expenses

		\$1,092.32
Paid to Dr.	Coxe	

Balance due ......\$ 57.08

#### RESOLUTIONS.

WHEREAS, The members of this Conference, with all visitors thereto, were received with unfeigned cordiality and have been most delightfully entertained; and

WHEREAS, The choir has added much to our pleasure in the beautiful rendition of sacred song; and

WHEREAS, We have been delighted and greatly benefited by the splendid and inspiring addresses of Rev. Dr. I. N. McCash, State Superintendent of the Iowa Anti-Saloon League, the representatives of our connectional interests, and the editor of Central Christian Advocate. Therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we hereby express our pleasure and to the Rev. C. S. Cooper, the pastor, to his people, to members of sister denominations and to all who have contributed in any way to the entertainment of the Conference, we extend our most hearty thanks, due them for their great kindness and unfeigned hospitality.

That, we acknowledge with gratitude our obligations to the choir for their valuable service so beautifully rendered.

That, we will welcome to the future sessions of our Conference the devoted servants of the Church who by their efficient service and able addresses have broadened our vision, encouraged our hearts and inspired our hopes.

We heartily commend the labors of Rev. R. L. Patterson, Financial Secretary of the Permanent Fund, and recommend the continuance of the office for the ensuing year.

WHEREAS, The church and nation have been enriched and blessed by the long and useful life of our beloved bishop, S. M. Merrill.

RESOLVED, That we congratulate him that, under the blessing of God, he has been permitted to attain the ripe age of eighty years, and has rendered the distinguished service to the church and state that has brought to him the esteem and love of the people. That we will pray that God may spare to us this splendid life yet many years for a little longer, and that finally there may be administered unto him an abundant entrance into the kingdom above.

RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be sent by the Secretary to Bishop Merrill.

RESOLVED, That we extend to Bishop Henry W. Warren our heartiest thanks for his unfailing kindness and courtesy in his administration of the affairs of this conference, and that we express our appreciation of the splendid addresses delivered for our edification and instruction.

That we will most heartily welcome him to the presidency of our conference at any time that, in the providence of God, he may be appointed to preside over us.

#### AMENDMENT TO CONSTITUTION.

WHEREAS, It is important, for the purpose of making possible a reduction in the number of delegates to the general conference, and for the purpose of reducing the expense of the same to the church, that a change should be made in the article of the constitution providing for the number of ministerial delegates to that body:—

Therefore, Resolved, by the IOWA ANNUAL CONFERENCE of the Methodist Episcopal Church in conference assembled, on this.......... day of September, A. D. 1905, that we recommend to the general conference of said church, to meet in the month of May, A. D. 1908, that section one, article two, of the constitution of said church, be amended as follows:

By striking out in the fourth line of said section one the word "fourteen" and inserting in the place thereof the word "thirty;" and by striking out in the fifth line of said section one the words "forty-five" and substituting in the place thereof the word "ninety," so that the said section one, as thus amended, shall read as follows:—

Section One. "Each Annual Conference shall be entitled to at least one Ministerial Delegate. The General Conference shall not allow more than one Ministerial Delegate for every thirty members of an Annual Conference, nor less than one for every ninety; but for a fraction of two-thirds or more of the number fixed by the General Conference as the ratio of representation an Annual Conference shall be entitled to an additional delegate."

RESOLVED, Second—That the Bishops of the said church be, and they are hereby, requested to submit the above proposed amendment to the several Annual Conferences at their sessions to be held in and during the year 1907, and report the results of their action to the ensuing General Conference.

RESOLVED, Third—That the secretary of this conference be and is hereby instructed to furnish the presiding bishop with a certified copy of the foregoing resolutions for the use of the board of bishops.

E. H. WARING. J. C. W. COXE.

#### SECRETARIES' CERTIFICATE.

I,			Secretary of
the Iowa Annual Conference of	the Methodist	Episcopal (	Church, do hereby
certify that the foregoing resolu	itions were ad	lopted by a	majority vote of
said Conference at its annual	session held	at Albia,	Iowa, September
	1905.		

#### STEWARDS' REPORT.

OUESTION 1. What are the claims on the Conference Funds?

Answer. Of the effective preachers, nothing: of superannuates and widows \$----.

OUESTION 2. What Sums have been Received on these Claims and how have they been Distributed?

Answer 1. Received from collections \$2477; from Chartered Fund, \$22, from the Book Concern, \$1182; total \$-

TO SUPERANNUATES.

ANSWER 2. Distributed as follows:

Amount	

Names	Amount	By Whom Taken
J. B. Hill	200 00	J. B. Hill
Jesse Craig	. 200 00	C. R. Zimmerman
J. B. Hardy	200 00	J. B. Hardy
N. Wells		
Geo. W. Byrkit		
B. F. Shane		
F. W. Evans	125 00	C. R. Zimmerman
C. F. Williams		
W. A. Phelps	50 00	C. R. Zimmerman
J. W. Fraker	_ 50 00	J. W. Fraker
R. Weese	. 50 00	J. W. Lambert
H. Runyon	. 50 00	C. R. Zimmerman
W. C. Shippen	25 00	C. R. Zimmerman

#### Total\_\_\_\_\_\$1675 00

#### TO WIDOWS.

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Mrs. Cora Souden	200 0	00	C. R. Zimmerman
Mrs. Kate Jackson	200 0	00	J. W. Somerville
Mrs. Catharine M. Pyke	200 0	00	E. L. Schreiner
Mrs. J. T. Coleman.	150 0	00	C. R. Zimmerman
Mrs. Victoria Robertson	150 0	00	J W. Potter
Mrs. James Haynes	125 0	00	C. R. Zimmerman
Mrs. John Haynes	125 0	00	J. W. Somerville
Mrs. Allie Thomas			
Mrs. Nell Boydston	125 0	00	C. W. Powelson
Mrs. Rebecca Donaldson	100 0	00	B. G. Hankins
Mrs. Sarah Shepherd	100 0	00	H. A. Ingham
Mrs. Alice Allison			
Mrs. Clara Wheeler			
Mrs. John Burgess	50 0	00	L. Ingham
Mrs. Hannah Hare	$50 \ 0$	00	C. R. Zimmerman
Mrs. Mary MacDonald			W. G. Wilson
Mrs. I. P. Teeter	$50 \ 0$	00	Mrs. I. P. Teeter
Mrs. Mary A. Latham			
Mrs. Mary Coiner	$25 \ 0$	00	C. R Zimmerman

Total\_\_\_\_\_\$2000 00

J. C. KENDRICK, Chairman.

C. R. ZIMMERMAN, Secretary.

#### Widows of Deceased Ministers.

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Mrs. Erasmus T. Coiner,
Mrs. Manasseh B. Wayman
Mrs. Isaac I. Stewart,
Mrs. Michael H. Hare,
Mrs. James W. Latham,
Mrs. David Donaldson,
Mrs. Eli H. Coddington,
Mrs. John Wheeler,
Mrs. J. S. Freeman,
Mrs. Robert J. Allison,
Mrs. John Haynes,
Mrs. C. P. Reynolds,
Mrs. J. W. McDonald,
Mrs. R. G. Wilson,
Mrs D. Murphy,

Mrs. J. F. Robertson,

Mrs. W. E. Patterson,

Mrs. Chas. W. Shepherd,
Mrs. John W. Lewis,
Mrs. S. H. Thomas,
Mrs. Wm. F. Cowles,
Mrs. S. P. Souden,
Mrs. Isaac P. Teeter,
Mrs. W. A. Jackson,
Mrs. B. M. Boydston,
Mrs. B. M. Boydston,
Mrs. John Burgess,
Mrs. James Haynes,
Mrs. W. F. Gilmore,
Mrs. W. C. Van Schoiack,
Mrs. J. T. Simmons,
Mrs. E. J. Pike.

Mrs Walter F. Mair, Mrs James T. Coleman,

### DISCIPLINARY QUESTIONS.

- 1. Who have been Received by Transfer, and from what Conferences? E. G. Lewis from Michigan Conference; J. H. Koch, West Virgina Conference; H. W. Hargett, Ohio Conference; N. A. Swickard, Dakota Conference; G. H. Kemp, North Indiana Conference; C. E. Coggshall, Des Moines Conference.
  - 2. Who have been Readmitted? None.
- 3. Who have been Received on Credentials, and from what Churches? None.
- 4. Who have been Received on Trial? (a) In studies of first year: Charles H. Myers, Charles R. Shook, Walter A. Smith. (b) In studies of third year: None.
- 5. Who have been Continued on Trial? (a) In studies of first year: P. I. King. (b) In studies of second year: E. A. Bentzinger, A. L. Jordan, C. B. Hankins, F. C. Edwards, Jesse Monkman, G. E. Monkman, F. E. Morrison, Thos. Rowe, E. F. Thee, H. E. Butler, L. B. Jones, A. T James. (b) In studies of third year: None.
  - 6. Who have been Discontinued? None.
- 7. Who have been Admitted into Full Membership? (a) Elected and ordained Deacons this year: Preston M. Conant, James A. Glendining, Robert A. Bruce. (b) Elected and ordained Deacons previously: None.
- 8. What Members are in Studies of Third Year? (a) Admitted into Full Membership this year: Preston M. Conant, James A. Glendining, Robert A. Bruce, T. B. Couchman, J. E. Ward. (b) Admitted into Full Membership previously: None.
- 9. What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year? John F. Robertson.
- 10. What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Studies? (a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year: Joyce P. Cummins, Orville G. Orcutt, Joseph R. Hanley, Charles W. Cochran, James A. Roovaart, George Blagg. (b) Elected and ordained Elders previously. None.

- 11. What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons? None.
- 12. Waht others have been Elected and Ordained Elders? None.
  - 13. Was the Character of each Preacher examined? Yes.
- 14. Who have been Transferred and to what Conferences? Wm. S. Mitchell to East Ohio Conference; W. M. Erksine, Oregon Conference; A. S. Loveall, Dakota Conference; A. E. Craig, Ohio Conference; E. G. Lewis, N. W. Indiana Conference; G. F. Cannom, Des Moines Conference.
  - 15. Who have Died? Banner Mark, E. J. Pike.
- 16. Who have been Located at their own Request? W. T. Howe, C. E. Fitzsimmons.
  - 17. Who have been Located? None.
  - 18. Who have Withdrawn? None.
- 19. Who have been permitted to Withdraw under Charges or Complaints? None.
  - 20. Who have been Expelled? None.
  - 21. What other Personal Notation should be made?
- 22. Who are the Supernumerary Preachers? J. M. Coats, F. E. Brush, A. W. Hanes, F. A. Shawkey, C. F. Williams, E. S. Daly, John Potter, W. R. Stryker, R. P. Carson, J. A. Sinclair, C. R. Norton, I. O. Kemble, J. R. Payne, R. Breeden.
- 23. Who are the Superannuated Preachers? J. B. Hardy, H. Runyon, J. B. Hill, Jesse Craig, N. Wells, W. A. Phelps, I. N. Busby, W. C. Shippen, F. W. Evans, W. J. Spaulding, J. S. Ferguson, J. H. Armacost, H. C. Ethel, G. W. Byrkit, E. H. Waring, J. G. Barton, Renix Weese, B. F. Shane, D. C. Smith, J. W. Fraker.
- 24. Who are the Triers of Appeals? U. S. Smith, W. L. Clapp, J. F. Barnett, W. P. Stoddard, G. M. Tuttle, J. C. Kendrick, C. H. Montgomery.
  - 25. What is the Statistical Report for this year? See tables.
- 26. What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer?

- 27. What are the Claims on the Conference Fund? \$3681.
- 28. What has been received on these Claims, and how has it been applied? See Steward's Report.
  - 29. Where are the Preachers Stotioned? See Appointments.
  - 30. Where shall the next Conference be held? Grinnell.

#### GERTIFICATE OF ORDINATION.

On the tenth day of September, 1905, in Albia, Iowa, the following were by me ordained Deacons: James A. Glendining, Robert A. Bruce, Preston M. Gonant; and with the assistance of the Presiding Elders, the following were by me ordained Elders in the church of God, according to the ritual of the Methodist Episcopal church: Joyce P. Cummins, Joseph R. Hanley, Orville G. Orcutt, Charles W. Gochran, James A. Roovaart, George Blagg.

Done at Albia, Iowa. Heary W. Warren, Presiding Bishop.

### MEMOIRS.

#### MRS. JAMES C. W. COXE.

Zerilda A., wife of the Rev. J. C. W. Coxe, of Iowa Conference, died Dec. 15, 1904, at Augustana Hospital, Chicago. Mrs. Coxe was born in Green County, Ill., and was the youngest daughter of James and Sarah Meldrum, and granddaughter of William Meldrum, a pioneer preacher of Illinois, and well known sixty years ago. Her childhood was spent at Godfrey. After completing the work of the public schools she took the regular course in the Woman's College at Jacksonville, graduating therefrom in 1858. She was a successful teacher in the schools at Griggsville, and in 1863 was married to the Rev J. W. Caldwell, of Southern Illinois Conference, who died Jan. 5, 1890. Aug. 29, 1892, she was married to the Rev. J. C. W. Coxe, and for more than twelve years was his comrade in sympathy, love and labor. In all the fields where she has lived in Illinois and Iowa there is left a host of friends who rise up to call her memory blessed.

Some years ago she took up the Chautauqua Literary and Scientific reading course, in which she not only completed the required four years' course, but also the red seal course of four years. She continued the special readings for several years, taking the special Bible and normal courses, winning in all twenty-three seals to her Chautauqua certificate. She was one of the founders of the Fortnightly Club at Washington, Iowa, and was its first president. For years she was an active member of the Woman's Home and Woman's Foreign Missionary Societies, and for some years was the recording secretary of the Iowa Conference Woman's Home Missionary Society. In memory of her only child, William Osman Caldwell, who died in early boyhood, she endowed a scholarship in Reid Christian College, at Lucknow, India. By special gifts she secured the erection of two memorial churches—one at Puyallup, Wash., and the other in Kansas.

Mrs. Coxe was an intelligent, devoted Church woman—loyal without bigotry, of broad sympathies, keen vision, and

rare devotion.

Some years ago she fell, causing an injury to the hip, unnoticed at the time, but which resulted in a slight lameness and steadily increasing pain. Until very recently the case was regarded as sciatic, for which treatment was taken without avail. A correct diagnosis pointed out the injury to the hip as the source of trouble. Dec. 5 she submitted to a surgical operation, which disclosed necrosis of the femur. She stood the operation well and prospects for a permanent recovery were bright, when on the 10th unfavorable symptoms appeared, and the decline was steady to the close. Knowing the possibilities of so ser-

ious an operation, she assured her husband and friends of entire readiness for death, if that should be the Father's will. During the closing hours, though the body was worn and exhausted with pain and the mind wandering, she would sing some of the hymns of the Church and pray for those she was leaving behind. Funeral services were conducted at Alton, Ill., by the Rev. M. H. Ewers. Besides her husband she leaves two sisters—Mrs. Rebecca Scarritt, wife of the Rev. J. A. Scarritt, of Cairo, Ill., and Mrs. Mary A. Corrington, of St. Louis.

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broke out in the Oskaloosa church, in which in all it was estimated that 500 souls were reached, and he gave valuable assistance in that meeting, and elsewhere through the year, as opportunity opened. He was also fired with patriotic zeal, when the war began, in 1861, and kept close watch of all its movements, and especially of those of the Ohio and Iowa regiments, so that if anyone wanted information on the matters connected with the army appeal was commonly made to Bro. Mark.

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In his home life Brother Mark was reserved and retiring. With the care of all the churches and preachers of his district in his heart, he was ever kind, faithful and devoted to his family,

So long as he was able to go about in Los Angeles he went from church to church and manifested something of his old-time love in the growth and prosperity of Methodism. One of his last privileges was attending the sessions of the general conference a year ago, in which he manifested a deep concern for the future administration of the church.

For a number of weeks his health had been gradually declining, when at last the feet which had carried him so many years and so many miles, gave way, and falling on the floor, he sustained a fracture of the hip from which he did not recover. After lingering a few days in the Deaconess hospital he passed peacefully to his reward, June 21st, 1905. To the very last of consciousness he expressed his unyielding faith in God and immortality.

The wife who has shared the struggles and triumphs of the itinerancy, and the manly, self-sacrificing son, Wilbur, who has cared for his father and mother during their declining years, are left to mourn, but sustained by the grace of God.

The funeral was held from the residence, 1113 West Temple Street, Los Angeles, Cal., Saturday, June 24th, 1905. Rev. C. R. Norton and Rev. C. V. Cowan, formerly of the Iowa Conference, had charge of the funeral services and were assisted by Rev. P. F. Bodkin, Rev. A. W. Bunker, Rev. C. J. Miller and Rev. E. H. Winans who served as pall bearers. Thus five of his Iowa Conference associates were present at the funeral.

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In his home life Brother Mark was reserved and retiring. With the care of all the churches and preachers of his district in his heart, he was ever kind, faithful and devoted to his family.

So long as he was able to go about in Los Angeles he went from church to church and manifested something of his old-time love in the growth and prosperity of Methodism. One of his last privileges was attending the sessions of the general conference a year ago, in which he manifested a deep concern for the future administration of the church.

For a number of weeks his health had been gradually declining, when at last the feet which had carried him so many years and so many miles, gave way, and falling on the floor, he sustained a fracture of the hip from which he did not recover. After lingering a few days in the Deaconess hospital he passed peacefully to his reward, June 21st, 1905. To the very last of consciousness he expressed his unyielding faith in God and immortality.

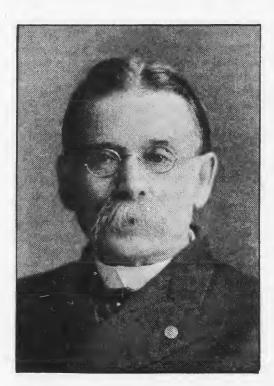
The wife who has shared the struggles and triumphs of the itinerancy, and the manly, self-sacrificing son, Wilbur, who has cared for his father and mother during their declining years, are left to mourn, but sustained by the grace of God.

The funeral was held from the residence, 1113 West Temple Street, Los Angeles, Cal., Saturday, June 24th, 1905. Rev. C. R. Norton and Rev. C. V. Cowan, formerly of the Iowa Conference, had charge of the funeral services and were assisted by Rev. P. F. Bodkin, Rev. A. W. Bunker, Rev. C. J. Miller and Rev. E. H. Winans who served as pall bearers. Thus five of his Iowa Conference associates were present at the funeral.

The body was laid away in beautiful Rosedale cemetery to await the resurrection morn.

#### REV. E. J. PIKE.

Elias J. Pike was born at Lawrenceburg, Dearborn County, Ind., February 28th, 1846, and died November 3rd, 1904, at St. Luke's Hospital, Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Brother Pike came with his parents, at an early age, to Iowa, and his boyhood



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J. C. Kendrick3	Salem—B. G. Hankins3			
Crawfordsville—	Salina—Supplied.			
E. L. Tennant2	Sperry—C. W. Cochran1			
Danville—A. M. Mahaffie2	4			
Fairfield—Thomas Osborn3	Wayland - H. T. Robinson1			
Hillsboro—M. L. Sanders1	Winfield—H. A. Ingham1			
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	WebsterP. M. Connant2
	WellmanW. L. Clapp3
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	West ChesterG. H. Kempi1
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Agency-T. B. Hughes1	Iconium—E. F. Thee1
Albia—W. S. Gardner1	Kirkville-R. A. Bruce1
Albia Circuit—Supplied	Knoxville-L. Ingham1
W. J. Hamilton1	Lovillia—T. B. Couchman2
Attica—P. I. King1	Martinsburg and Highland
Batavia—C. R. Shook1	Supplied—C. L. Starr_1
Blakesburg—J. E. Ward1	Moravia-J. C. Caughlan2
Brighton—G. M. Tuttle2	Ollie-Supplied-C. E. Petitt_1
Bussey—J. H. Koch1	Ottumwa, 1st—H. W. Hargett_1
Chillicothe—G. E. Monkman2	Main St.—A. B. Hightshoe_1
Durham—W. R. Rollingson1	Willard—E. J. Shook2
Eddyville—W. S. Kight2	Circuit—W. H. Jones1
Fremont—J. F. Barnett2	Packwood-O. G. Orcutt1
Harvey and Tracey—	Pleasant Plain—Frank Seeds_1
Thomas Rowe1	Richland-C. E. Coggshall1
Hedrick—W. G. Wilson1	Sigourney—C. N. PaceJ

J. W. Hancher, President, A. C. Piersell, Dean, E. E. Lymer and G. L. Minear, Professors; C. W. Powelson, Field Secretary, Iowa Wesleyan University, members Mt. Pleasant Quarterly Conference.

W. N. Groome and E. L. Schreiner, Conference Evangelists, members Albia Quarterly Conference.

U. B. Smith, Superintendent Home Finding Association, member Willard St. Ouarterly Conference.

R. L. Patterson, Agent Permanent Fund; A. T. James and C. H. Myers left without appointment to attend school, members Oskaloosa Quarterly Conference.

W. R. Jeffrey and J. H. Dimmitt, Missionaries to Black Hills; E. E. Doud, Missionary to Arizona.

F. I. Poage, Missionary to Indian Territory.

J. B. Eyestone, Missionary to China.

C. S. Cooper, Temperance Agent for Iowa Conference, member of the Albia Quarterly Conference.

L. B. Jones, left without appointment, member Lynnville Quarterly Conference.

# Iowa Conference Roll and Postoffice Address.

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3.	Barber, G. W.	.,Únionville	54.	Gilbert, H.	F,Cantri
4.	Barker, T. F.,	New London	55.	Glendining.	J. A., Burlington
5.	Barnett, J. F.,	Fremont			N.,Unionville
6.	Barton, J. G.,	(Sd) Ottumwa	57.	Hackley, J.	W ,Newton
		A, (P) Marsh	58	Haines A	W., (Sy)
8	Berg W E	Douds	50	Hall W N	,New Sharo
9.	Bevan, D. C.	Moulton			G. H.,Victo
0	Richan S F	Millersburg			
		, Mystic			W.,Mt. Pleasan
10	Bootman I A	Wost Liberty	69	Hanking B	washington
		,West Liberty	03.	nankins, b.	G.,Salen
		Newburg	64.	Hankins, C.	B., (P) Libertyvill
L4 .	Brooks, E. C.,	Muscatine	60.	Hanley, J. I	R.,Keot
15.	Bruce, R. A.,	Kirkville	66.	Hardy, J. B	., (Sd) Brookly
6.	Brush, F. E.,	(Sy)	67.	Hargett, H.	W., Ottumw
7.	Burdock, Luk	e R, Beacon	68.	Hawk, C. E	.,Amisl
8.	Butler, H. E.,	(P) West Grove			., Keosauqu
		(Sd)Brooklyn			A. B.,Ottumw
20.	Byrkit, G. W.	, (Sd)	71.	Hill, J. B.,	(Sd)Agenc
		Mt. Pleasant	72.	Hughes, L.,	Tainto
1.	Carson, J. W.	,Mt. Sterling			B.,Agenc
2.	Carson, R. P.,	(Sy)			A.,Winfiel
		O.,Moravia	75.	Ingham, L.	Knoxvill
4.	Clapp, W. L.,	Wellman	76.	Ireland, W.	B.,Pulask
25.	Coates, J. M.,	(Sy)			'., (P)Bosto
26.	Cochran, C. W	V.,Sperry			R., Spearfish, S. D
		E,Richland	79.	Jones, L. B.	, (P)
8.	Collier, R.,	Cincinnati	80.	Jones, W. F.	I,Ottumw
9.	Conant. P. M.	,Webster	81.	Jordan, A.	L., (P)Oakvill
0.	Cooper, C. S.,	Albia	82.	Kemble, I.	O.,Oskaloos
1.	Corley, J. E.,	Deep River			I., West Cheste
		B.,Lovilia	84	Kendrick A	. V.,Keoku
3.	Coxe. J. C. W	.,Oskaloosa	85	Kendrick J	. C. Columbus Je
4.	Crull. L. A.	Kellogg	86	Kight W S	S.,Eddyvill
5	Craig Jesse	(Sd)Pueblo	27	King P I	Attic
6	Cumming I I	P.,Mt. Union	00	Kooh I H	,Pleasant Plain
7	Cumming I.	G., Lacey	20	Lambort I	W.,Keoku
8	Daly E S (S	Sy)Milton	00.	Lampert, J.	, W. A , Lett
Q.	Davis John	Troy	01	Luman F I	Mt Pleasen
		Mt. Pleasant	91.	Mohoffic A	E.,Mt. Pleasan . M., Danvill
			92.	Maname, A	D Miles
0	Dimmitt I H	Williamsburg	93.	Marun, D. I	R , Milto W . , Kildu
9	Dimimiou, J. II.	,_Lead, So. Dak.	94.	McDiam, A.	W., Kndu
1	Derde, J. W.,	Delta			J. M.,Grinne
'£ .	Doud, E. E.,	Arizona			C.,Lynnvill
e.	Edwards, F. (	C., (P)Pella	97.	Minear, G.	L., Mt. Pleasan
0.	Etnel, H. C.,	(Sd)_Bloomfield	98.	Monkman,	G. E., (P)
1.	Evans, F. W.,	(Sd) Des Moines	0.7	** 1	Chillicoth
8.	Eyestone, J. B	Foochow	99.	Monkman,	Jesse, (P)
9.	Ferguson, J. S	S, (Sd) Keokuk			Drakevill
0.	Filmer, Georg	e,Kalona	100	. Montgomer	ry, C. H., Sonor
1	Fraker, J. W.	, (Sd)			

NAME.	POSTOFFICE.	NA	ME.	POSTOFFICE.
01. Moore, W	. S.,Donnellson	142.	Shippen,	W. C., (Sd)
102. Morrison.	F. E., (P)	143.	Shook, C	. R., (P)Batavia
,	Sweetland	144.	Shook, E	. J.,Ottumwa
103. Myers. C.	H., (P)	145.	Sinclair,	J. A., (Sy)
104. Myers, T.	J., Mt Pleasant			Mt. Pleasant
105. Newsom.	J. E., Brooklyn	146.	Smith, A.	. M.,Birmingham
106. Norton, C	R., (Sd)	147.	Smith, D	. C., (Sd)Ottumwa
	Los Angeles	148.	Smith, E.	J.,Fort Madison
107. Orcutt. O.	. G.,Packwood	149.	Smith, H	. N., Ottumwa
108. Osborn, T	hos.,Fairfield	150.	Smith, U	. B., Ottumwa
109. Pace. C. I	N.,Sigourney	151.	Smith, U	. S.,Montezuma
110. Patterson	, R L.,Oskaloosa	152.	Smith, W	A., (P) Lexington
111. Payne, J.	R., (Sy)Keota	153.	Somervil	le, Jay W.,
112. Perdew. V	W. H,Mediapolis			Oskaloosa
113. Phelps, W	7. A., (Sd)	154.	Spauldin	g, W. J., (Sd)
	El Paso, Tex.			Mt. Pleasant
114. Phillips.	D.,Malcom	155.	Stafford,	C. L., Bloomfield
115. Piersel, A	C.,Mt. Pleasant	156.	Stiles, D	. FEldon
116. Poage, F.	I., Ft. McAllister	157.	Stoddard	$\mathbb{R}$ , W. P., Centerville
117. Pool. G. V	W., Wilton Junction	158.	Stryker,	W. R., (Sy)
118. Pool, J. V	V.,Ladora			Washington
119. Pool. R. J	D.,Oxford	159.	Swickard	l, N. A., Mt. Pleasant
120. Pool. T. S	Mt. Pleasant	160.	Taylor, J	. H.,Farmington
121. Potter, Jo	ohn, (Sy)Newton	161.	Tennant,	C. L. Burlington
122 Potter, J.	W.,Muscatine	162.	Tennant.	Lloyd,
123. Potter, W	N.,Ainsworth			Crawfordsville
124. Powelson	, C. W., Mt. Pleasant	163.	Thee, E.	F., (P)Iconium
125. Pugh. H.	F.,Riverside	164.	Thorn, V	V. G.,Washingtor
126. Pyle. W.	J,North English	165.	Tucker,	F. B.,Marengo
127. Reusch.	M. E Wapello	166.	Tuttle, G	. M.,Brighton
128. Robertso:	n, J. F., Washington	167.	Ward, J.	EBlakesburg
129. Robinson	H. T., Wayland	168.	Waring,	E. H., (Sd)
130. Rolingson	n, W. R., Durham			Oskaloos
131. Roovaart	J. A., _Thornburg	169.	Weese, I	Renix
132. Rowe, Th	omas,Harvey	170.	Wehn. G	H. H.,Bonapart
133. Rutledge	H. I., Tiffin	171.	Wells, N	elson, (Sd)
134. Runvon.	H., (Sd)Sidney			Mt. Pleasan
135. Sanders,	M. L., Hillsboro	172.	Williams	$s, C. F., (S\underline{y})$
136. Schrecke	engast, I. B.,			Davenpor
2001	Burlington	173.	Willitts,	J. C., Oskaloos
137. Schreine	r, E. L.,Albia	174.	Wilson,	C. W.,What Chee
138. Scoles, H	I. BFt. Madison	175	Wilson,	W. G.,Hedric
139 Seeds, Fr	rank,Bussey	176	Zimmer	man, C. R.,
140. Shane, B	rank,Bussey S. F., (Sd)Selma			Morning Su
141. Shawkey	F. A., (SY)			
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### Local Preachers.

#### BURLINGTON DISTRICT.

J. C. Brown.

\*J. Dolph, Wayland.

\*W. F. Thresher, New London.

tW. B. Rassell, Salem, 2nd year.

\*W. D. Loder, Wayland

‡W. L. Hamilton, Mt. Union.

\*H. C. Druse, Wapello.

\*S. H. Sperry, Ft. Madison.

T. G. Harper, Burlington, 2d yr.

‡J. C. Brown, Mt. Pleasant.

Chas. Foster, " 2d yr.

Alex Leefer, West Point.

J. M. Hoober, Mt. Pleasant.

#### KEOKUK DISTRICT.

L. C. Carrol, Bloomfield.

J. G. Lauterbach, Donnellson.

‡Amos Steckle, Bloomfield.

J. K. George, Fairfield.

W. H. Slack.

\*J. W. Cheney, Keosauqua.

‡F. Wire, Bonaparte.

David Exline, Exline.

C. E. Ward, Fairfield, 3d year.

‡A. S. Downes, Unionville.

#### MUSCATINE DISTRICT.

A. Davidson, Muscatine.

B. G. Swaney, Marengo, 1st yr.

W. E Loeb, Nichols, 1st year.

M. Y. Howe, Muscatine.

W. P. Darbyshire, Washington.

#### OSKALOOSA DISTRICT.

D. D. Downs, Oskaloosa.

‡Job Hyde, Thornburg.

†O. E. McBride, Rose Hill.

‡Pierce Ratliff, Oskaloosa.

‡H. L. F. Tool, Reasoner.

‡R. E. Wilson, Beacon.

W. J. Hamilton.

\*L. F. Ellsworth, Rose Hill.

\*Jas. S. Horner, New Sharon.

John Reynolds, What Cheer.

Ernest Starr, Grinnell, 1st year.

‡James Tool, Reasoner.

\*F. M. Barker, What Cheer.

#### OTTUMWA DISTRICT.

†N. J. Hodges, Knoxville.

‡H. S. Albert, Albia.

†John Chacey, Richland.

!Not in course of study.

Job Hyde, Ottumwa.

†Local Deacon.

E. O. Rankin, Attica.

†A. C. Coughlan, Ottumwa.

‡Ezra Carey, Agency.

\*Local Elder.

# Sessions and Officers of the Iowa Conference.

No	Time	Year	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Statistical Secretary	Treasurer
1	August 14-18	1844	Iowa City	Morris	H. W. Reed		
2	September 3-8	1845	Burlington	Morris	6.6		
3	September 2-7	1846	Bloomington	Hamline	6.6		
4	September 1-7	1847	Mt. Pleasant	Waugh	Joseph Brooks		
5	August 23-28	1848	Dubuque	Morris	H. W. Reed		
6	August 8-13	1849	Ft. Madison	Janes	Langdon Taylor		
7	August 7-12	1850	Fairfield	Hamline	J. G. Dimmitt_		
8	August 6-11	1851	Davenport	Waugh	M. H. Hare		
9	Sept. 29 to Oct. 4	1852	Burlington	Ames	Joseph Brooks		
10	Sept. 28 to Oct. 4	1853	Oskaloosa	Scott	"		
11	Sept. 27 to Oct. 4	1854	Dubuque	Morris	H. W. Reed		
12	Sept. 26 to Oct. 3	1855	Keokuk	Simpson	Joseph Brooks		
13	September 24-30_	1856	Mt. Pleasant	Janes	66		
14		1857	Des Moines	Ames	6.6		
15	September 8-14	1858	Fairfield	Morris	E L. Briggs	E. H. Waring	
16	September 7-12	1859	Muscatine	Simpson	E. H. Waring_	James Haynes	
17	Aug. 29 to Sept. 3	1860	Oskaloosa	Janes	66	Geo. N. Power	
18	August 21-26	1861	Burlington	Scott	6.6		
19	September 10 15_	1862	Washington	Baker	6.6	4.6	
20	September 9-14	1863	Newton	Ames	6.6	6 6	
21	September 14-19_	1864	Keokuk	Janes	6 6	6.6	
22	Sept. 27 to Oct. 2	1865	Mt. Pleasant	Janes	6 6	John Haynes	
23	Sept. 26 to Oct. 1	1866	Knoxville	Ames	6.6	J. C. Brown	
24	September 18-23_	1867	Ottumwa	Scott	6.6	66	
25	September 3-7	1868	Burlington	Janes	6.6	Kemble, Schreiner	
26	September 1-6	1869	Muscatine	Thompson-	6.6	Haynes, Byrkit	
27	Sept. 28 to Oct. 3	1870	Albia	Ames	6.6	Haynes, Schreiner	
28	October 4-9	1871	Mt. Pleasant	Ames	6.6	C. W. Shepherd_	
29	October 9-14	1872	Oskaloosa	Andrews	• 66	Smith.ClarkWils'n	
30	September 17-21	1873	Washington	Bowman	6.6	Staf'd, Byrkit Sh'ne	
31	September 16-21	1874	Bloomfield	Haven	6.6	6.6	

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32	September 15-21	1875	Keokuk	Merrill	E. H. Waring	Staf'd, Byrkit, Sh'n		
33	September 6-12	1876	Ottumwa	Wiley	Geo. N. Power	Myers, Shepherd		
34	September 5-10	1877	Fairfield	Ames	6.6	66		
35	September 4-10	1878	Brooklyn	Foster	6.6	6.6		
36	September 3-9	1879	Burlington	Harris	6.6	6.6		
37	September 8-13	1880	Centervill e	Hurst	6.6	66		
38	Aug. 31 to Sept. 5	1881	Knoxville	Merrill	66	66	-	
39	September 6-11	1882	Muscatine	Wiley	6.6	Myers, Pugh		
40	September 5-10	1883	Burlingto n	Simpso n	6.6	,,,		
41	September 3-9	1884	Ottumwa	Foster	66	6.6		
42	September 10-15_	1885	Mt. Pleasant	Ninde	6.6	Myers, Adams	C. W.	Shep'rd
43	September 2-7	1886	Washington	Bowman	6.6	F. W. Adams		"
44	September 7-12	1887	Newton	Merrill	6.6	66		6.6
45	September 5-10	1888	Oskaloosa	Goodsell	6.6	6.6		6 6
46	September 4-9	1889	Burlington	Warren	6.6	6.6		6 6
47	September 4-8	1890	Grinnell	Joyce	6.6	6.6		6.6
48	September 2-7	1891	Muscatine	Foss	6.6	6.6		6.6
49	September 7-12	1892	Washington	Andrews	66	6.6		6.6
50	September 6-11	1893	Mt. Pleasant	Mallalieu	C. L. Stafford.	6.6		66
51	September 12-16-	1894	Fairfield	Fowler	6.6	6 6		6.6
52	September 11-16-	1895	Ottumwa	Foster	6.6	6.6		6.6
53	September 9-14	1896	Knoxville	Newman	6.6	6.6		6.6
54	September 8-13	1897	Oskaloosa	Fitzgerald _	6.6	6.6		66
55	Sept. 28 to Oct 3	1898	Montezuma	Vincent	6.6	6 6	T. S.	Pool
56	Sept. 27 to Oct. 2	1899	Mt. Pleasant:	McCabe	6.6	6.6		"
57	September 19-14_	1900	Bloomfield	Walden	John C. Willits	Elias Handy		6.6
58	September 18-24_	1901	Newton	Merrill	6.6			6.6
59	September 17-22	1902	Keokuk 1st Ch_	Hamilto n	6.6	6.6		6.6
60	September 9-14	1903	Muscatine	Mallalieu	John W. Potter	6.6		6.6
61	September 7-12	1904	Sigourney	McDowell -	66	6.6		6.6
62	September 6-11	1905	Albia	Warren	6.6	C. R. Zimmerman		6.6

### Ministerial Record.

- ADAMS, F. W., Iowa, '81—New London, '81: Amish, '83: Riverside, '84: Keosauqua, '87; Keokuk, '88; Wilton, '89; Prof. I. W. U., '91; Ladora, '98; Columbus Junction, '00; Morning Sun, '02: Lone Tree, '05.
- ARMACOST, J. H. Moulton, Iowa.

  BARBER, G. W., Iowa—Keosauqua circuit, '82; Bentonsport, '84; Pulaski, '86; Selma, '88; Eldon, '93; Taintor, '95; Kossuth, '96; Farmington, '97; Drakeville, '00; Libertyville, '02; Unionville, '04.
- BARKER, THOMAS F., Iowa—Crawfordsville, '90; Kossuth, '96; Eldon, '97; Crawfordsville, '02; New London, '04.

  BARNETT, JOHN F., Iowa, '84—Farmington, '85; G. B. I., '88; North English, '92; Wilton, '94; Ft. Madison, First Ch., '99; Milton, '01; Freglish, '92; mont, '04.
- BARTON, JAMES G., Iowa—Dahlonega, '68; Kirkville, '70; South Burlington, '73; Knoxville, '76; Ottumwa, Main St., '79; Chester and Sheridan, '80; Oxford, '81; Montezuma, '83; Newton, '86; Marengo, '87; Kirkville, '89; Mount Pleasant, west circuit, '93; Libertyville, '96; Superannuated, '98 ated,
- BENTZINGER, EDWARD A., Iowa-Oakville, '04; Marsh, '05.
- BERG, WILLIAM E., Iowa—Taintor, '04; Douds, '05.

  BEVAN, DAVID C., Iowa—Pleasant Hill, '70: Koszta, '72; Oxford, '74;

  Lettsville, '77; Sweetland, '79; Wilton, '80; Ottumwa, Main St., '83;

  First Ch., Oskaloosa, '85; Victor, '91; Malcom, '94; Letts, '96; Morning Sun, '99; Ft. Madison, First Ch., '01; Ottumwa, Main St., '02; Moul-Sun, '99 ton, '05.
- BISHOP, S. F., Iowa—Salem, '78; Webster, '80; Martinsburg, '82; Brighton, '83; Newton circuit, '85; Lone Tree, '86; Pleasant Hill, '88; Pella, '90; Wayland, '92; New London, '94; Columbus City, '97; Sperry, 1900; Supernumerary, '01; Millersburg, '04.
- BLAGG, GEORGE, Iowa-Exline, '01; Mystic, '03.
- BOATMAN, J. A., Kentucky—Cumberland City, '70; Meade Ct., '71; Hardin Ch., '72; Student De Pauw, '73; Louisa, '79; Augusta, '80; Iowa—Moulton, '83; Newton, '86; Albia, '87; Blooklyn, '89; Washington, '92; Bloomfield, '94; Fairfield, '95; Keokuk, '98; Morning Sun, 1901; Ft. Madison, '02; West Liberty, '03.
- BREEDEN, RICHARD, Iowa—Marysville, '88; Chillicothe, '89; Drakeville, '90; Bentonsport, '91; Lebanon, '93; Cincinnati, '95; Pulaski, '96; Mystic, '97; Amish, '98; North English, 1900; Sonora, '03; Asst. Supt. Am. Home Finding Association, '04. Supernumerary, '05.

  BROOKS, EDWARD C., Colorado—'70; Iowa, '87; Ottumwa, Main St., '87; Marengo, '89; Newton, '92; Montezuma, '95; Centerville, '98; Blooklyn, 1900; Muscatine Ct., '03.
- BURDOCK, LUKE R., Iowa-Beacon, '05.
- BRUSH, F. E., Grinnell, Iowa-Supernumerary, '01.
- BUSBY, I. N., Iowa—Malcom, '68; Montezuma, '71; Newton, '73; Ottumwa, '75; Danville, '76; New London, '79; Malcom and Madison, '81; Madison, '82; Superannuated, '86.
- son, '82; Superannuated, '86.

  BYRKIT, G. W., Iowa—Osceola, '57; Bentonsport, '58; Libertyville, '59; Blakesburg, '60; Attica, '61; Bloomfield, '62; Centerville, '63; W. Point, '64; Kossuth, '66; Ft. Madison, '67; Keosauqua, '68; Agency, '70; Danville, '72; Wapello, '75; Bloomfield, '77; Burlington, Grace, '78; Mt. Pleasant Ct., '81; Winfield, '84; New London, '85; Birmingham, '86; Muscatine Ct., '88; Riverside, '90: Ladora, '91: Oxford, '92; Cedar, '93; Richland, '94; Rose Hill, '95; Delta, '96; Koszta, '97; West Chester, '98; Tiffin, 1900; Millersburg, '01; Superannuated, '02.
- CANNOM, G. F., Canada, 1883; Iowa—Millersburg, '84; Delta, '85; Melrose, '86; Lovilia, '87; Attica, '89; Martinsburg and Hedrick, '90; Supernumerary, '92; Sperry, '94; Mt. Union, '96; Wayland, '98; Columbus Junc., 1902; Agency, '03; Richland, '05.
- CARSON, J. W., Iowa—Salina, '90; Troy, '91; Columbus City, '96; Salem, '97; Cantril, '01; Mystic, '02; Keosauqua Ct., '03; Mt. Sterling, '04.
- CARSON, R. P., Iowa-Danville, 1903; Supernumerary, '04.

# MUSCATINE DISTRICT.

Circuit and Pastor.	Appointments.	Appor'd	Paid.	Defic.
Lone Tree	Lone Tree	\$700 00	\$700 00	\$
Chas. N. Pace.	River Junction	100 00	100 00	
	Pleasant Valley	100 00	100 00	
Muscatine Circuit		250 00	250 00	
E. C. Brooks.	High Prairie	225 00	225 00	
	The Island	200 00	200 00	
	Spanglers	125 00	125 00	
Nichols	Cedar Valley	193 00	193 00	
E. A. Brinton.	Nichols	268 00	162 00	106 00
	Cone	165 00	165 00	
North English	North English			
Wm. J. Pyle.	Yankee Point			
Wm. J. Pyle. Sweetland	Sweetland	366 00	366 00	
F. E. Morrison.	Pleasant Prairie	150 00	150 00	
	North Prairie	96 00	96 00	
	Moscow	110 00	110 00	
Tiffin	Tiffin	375 00	375 00	
H. I. Rutledge.	North Liberty	200 00	200 00	
	Coralville	50 00	50 00	
	Cross Roads	40 00	40 00	
Washington Circuit	Plains	275 00	275 00	
J. F. Robertson.	Eureka	300 00	300 00	
	Richmond	25 00	25 00	
	(Snyder Fund)	200 00	200 00	
Wellman	Wellman	800 00	800 00	
W. L. Clapp.	Bunker Hill	100 00	106 00	
Webster	Webster	300 00	300 00	
P. M. Conant.	South English	132 00	132 00	
	Kinross	135 00	135 00	
	Keswick	133 00	133 00	
West Chester	West Chester	323 00	323 00	
W. H. Dillon.	Bethel	158 00	158 00	
	Zion Center	243 00	243 00	

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Barnes City	Barnes City	\$125	00	\$129	00	\$
W. J. Hamilton.	Beular	175	00	154	00	21 00
	Bethel Grove	100	00	68	00	32 00
Beacon	Beacon	250	00	257	00	
F. C. Edwards.	Riverside	100		100	00	
	White City	150	00	150	00	
	Givin	75	00	66	00	9 00
	Evans	75	00	30	00	45 00
Cedar	Cedar	370	00	370	00	
W. L. Fry.	Fairview	185	00	146	00	39 00
•	White Oak	115	00	115	00	
	Wright	100	00	100	00	
Deep River	Deep River	585	00	554	00	31 00
W. A. Longnecker.	Pleasant Ridge		00	88	00	27 00
Delta	Delta	600	00	477	00	123 00
C. H. Myers	Springfield	100	00	62	00	38 00
•	Kendrick Chapel					

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Ewart	Ewart	\$350	00	\$375 00 \$
Ernest J. Starr		75	00	75 00
	Forest Home	50	00	50 00
Kellogg	Kellogg	230	00	230 00
Kellogg L. A Crull	Rushville	230	00	230 00
	Mt Pleasant	180	00	180 00
	Turner	60	00	50 00 10 00
Lacey	Lacey	330	00	330 00
L. G. Cummings.	Fairview	220	00	220 00
8	Centenary	150	00	105 00 45 00
Lynnville		255	00	220 00 35 00
A. T. James.	Lynnville	130	00	103 00 27 00
	Searsboro	140	00	140 00
	Salem	75	00	63 00 12 00
Malcom		525	00	525 00
D. Phillips	Fairmount	275	00	275 00
Millersburg	Millersburg	175	00	175 00
S. F. Bishop.	Hope Chapel	225	00	225 00
Newton Circuit	Kilduff	230	00	230 00
A. W. McBlain.	Pleasant View	260	00	260 00
11. 11. 12. 12. 12. 12. 12. 12. 12. 12.	Mt. Zion	230	00	230 00
	Grace Chapel	130	00	130 00
Reasoner	Reasoner	350	00	290 00 60 00
W. H. Jones.	Toole's Chapel	350	00	350 00
Rose Hill	Rose Hill	350	00	350 00
O. E. McBride.	Indianapolis	225	00	225 05
O. E. McBilde.	Spring Valley		00	125 00
	Wymore	100	00	75 00 25 00
Sonora	Sonora	300	00	300 00
C. H. Montgomery.	Sheridan		00	300 00
C. II. Montgomery.	Madison	000	00	300 00
Taintan	Greenwood		00	17 00 8 00
Taintor			00	92 00 8 00
W. E. Berg.	Peoria		00	293 00
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Thornburg James A. Roovaart.	Tilton	000	00	246 00 54 00
James A. Rooyaart.	Coal Creek		00	175 00
Viotor			00	450 00
Victor	Victor	275		275 00
G. H. Hanawalt.	Guernsey	210	UU	210 00,

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Attica	Attica	\$158	00	\$158	00 \$
R. A. Bruce	Zion	180	00	180	00
	Beulah				
	Indiana	110	00	110	00
	Wesley	110	00	110	00
	Oak Dale				
	Eldorado				
Batavia	Batavia	375	00	375	00
Geo. H. Kemp	County Line	175	00	130	00 45 0
	Bladensburg	100	00	95	00 5 0

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Blakesburg	Blakesburg Prairie Chapel	\$175 175		139		36 00
Thomas Rowe.	Christona Puna	150		150		
	Christans Burg	100			00	
	Foster Miller Ridge	100		1	00	22 00
Bussey		300		285		15 00
J. E. Ward	Bussey Buxton	300		300		19 00
J. E. Walu	Hamilton	250		237		13 00
Chillicothe	Chillicothe	300		300		
Geo E. Monkman.	Columbia	300	-	300		
Durham			00		00	
C. E. Fitzsimmons.	Asbury	130		121		9 00
O. E. Fitzsimmons.	Flagler	100	-	100		
	McClintick	100	-	1	00	
	Salem	100		90	-	10 00
	Washington	100			00	37 00
Eddyville	Eddyville	600		600		
W. S. Kight.	Hardon	119		119		
W. S. Kight.	Hayden		00	81		
Harvey and Tracey	Greys Creek	286		286		
O. G. Orcutt.		230		230		
o. G. Oreutt.	Tracey	184				
Loonium	Bethel	300		185		
Iconium	Iconium	250	-	300		
J. W. Stine.	Melrose		-	185		65 00
Framarit	Fairview	100		90		10 00
Fremont	Fremont.	736		645		91 00
J. F. Barnett	Russell Chapel	196		131	-	65 00
Hocking and Hilton		200	-	90		110 00
P. I. King.	Avery	200		190	-	10 00
	Hilton	136	_	136		
	Lockman	60	_	60		
Kirkville	Buffalo	60	-	60		
D. F. Stiles.		588 190		588		
Lovilia	SalemLovilia	400		190 400		
T. B. Couchman.	Union Chapel	155		155		
1. b. Couchman.	Salem	125		125		
	Eden	140		114		26 00
	Mayersville	156	_	156		20 00
Martinsburg	Martinsburg	250		250		
C. L. Starr.	Pekin	250	-	250		
C. D. Stair.	Zion	115	_	115		
	Farson	85		85		
Moravia	Moravia	622		622		
J. C. Caughlan.	Wesley	237	- 1	237		
Packwood	Packwood	600		600		
W. T. Howe.	Ollie	200		200		
Pleasant Plain	Pleasant Plain	150		150		
J. H. Koch	Prairie Chapel	125		125		
J. II. KOCH	Pleasant Grove	275		247		28 00
	Brookville	150		100	- 1	50 00
		125				
	CenterBlackhawk	100		125 100		
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